

School Board Meeting 8/2/21

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Systematic racism is the big lie. It is told by millionaires sport stars, news anchors, entertainers, the NEA and some politicians. It is rejected by millions of black and brown Americans, all immigrants and the majority of proud hard working Americans. We are at a crossroad in the United States. We need to envision what affect supporting radical ideas such as systematic racism is going to have on our county and more importantly on our children.

It is proven false by statistics, facts and good old common sense. (See Obama's Father Day Speech 2008) Any support of systematic racism gives students a victim mentality and takes away their individuality as a human being. It goes against everything that Dr. King stood for. It spits on the graves of millions of Americans that have died defending our freedom and constitution. It goes against everything that we, as Americans, believe as our core values. Millions of black Americans have been able to achieve the American dream. How? How can so many achieve high levels of success, if this is a systematical failed system? As Joe would say "Come on Man".

Let's envision both worlds for our students.

With systematic racism: Victim mentality, equity, American dream is dead, hard work doesn't pay off, don't see your self as an individual but as a racial group, you feel you are owed something by others, people will be taught to see the bad in others, they will hate and disrespect laws of your country, destroys your constitution and country, not freedom, controlled by government, open discrimination

Without systematic racism: You can become anything, see yourself as an individual, see good in others, respect and love your country, freedom, can own private property, no discrimination, obey and respect laws, you control what happens to you and your future, equality for all.

If we focus on our three school rules: Be Safe, Be Respectful, Be Responsible, instead of making excuses for students failures, the students would be more successful. Imagine what would happen if we flooded our students with examples of people overcoming great challenges to be successful. Imagine if we taught our students how great our country is and the opportunities that they have before them. Imagine if teachers taught love for the constitution and how they can use it to make the USA and the world even better for every human. Imagine students being empowered to lead the greatest country on Earth into the 22 century. Or you can focus only on the cultural problem that our country is facing and blame all of it on Something that happened 250 plus years ago. Which path we choose will impact our students for decades.

Dr. Ben Carson and many others have said that the biggest factor in someone's success is themselves. We should teach children to work hard, never give up and to believe in themselves. We should teach them to be respectful to others and

property. We should teach students to show all people Respect, Because respect is a reflection of your character not anyone else's. Personal accountability, not skin color determines a student's chances of success. Imagine having to explain to a student, who's parent is a police officer, that their parent was murdered by a follower of a group that the district openly supports and endorses.

Focusing on the good of our country and the greatness of it's citizens, will serve our children best. Teach that this country has afforded them liberty and freedom to all who seek it's values. Following the media's bias and false view of America will only serve our enemies and put our children at a moral, economic, and physical disadvantage.

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