# NORTH CAROLINA Legislative Agenda

**OUR MISSION:** Moms for Liberty is dedicated to fighting for the survival of America by unifying, educating, and empowering parents to defend their parental rights at all levels of government.

# PRESERVE PARENTAL RIGHTS

Moms for Liberty North Carolina (NC) supports parents' fundamental rights to direct the upbringing, education, and medical care of their children. We support legislation that reinforces these rights within the education system in the state of North Carolina. We denounce any action taken by a government agency to hide information from parents or to circumvent parental rights. We call for full transparency in all aspects of a child's education and insist parents are given the choice to opt their child in to the collection of any information covered by the Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment, 20 U.S.C. § 1232h. [ S49-Parents' Bill of Rights; S90(PCS)-Children's Laws Omnibus ]

# **EDUCATION, NOT INDOCTRINATION**

Moms for Liberty NC does not support funds spent on Diversity Equity Inclusion (DEI), Critical Race Theory (CRT), and Social Emotional Learning (SEL). We assert that this money would be more appropriately utilized on teacher, teacher assistant, and special education salaries and support. We contend that public schools are places for students to learn core academics, while supplementing with arts, athletics, and specialty courses. Schools are not social, cultural, and behavioral training centers. [H187-Equality in Education]

## **OPPOSE MEDICAL MANDATES**

Moms for Liberty NC contends that all medical and healthcare decisions for minors are made by the minor's parent or guardian, not mandated by the government. Immunizations, face coverings or other prospective mitigating measures are personal choices. Forced coercion and mandates as a condition of participation in public school education and extracurricular activities infringe upon rights and are in violation of the North Carolina State Constitution. [\$90(PCS)-Children's Laws Omnibus; H98/\$121-Medical Freedom Act]

## **EQUALITY IS PARAMOUNT**

Moms for Liberty NC asserts that equality and an expectation of excellence in education are of the utmost importance. There is no race, sex, gender, religion, political affiliation, or socioeconomic class superior or inferior to any other. Every student should have equal access to school resources in a positive and safe learning environment. Anything to the contrary should not be allowed and is detrimental to individual student success. [H187-Equality in Education]

# **GENDER IDEOLOGY IN SCHOOLS**

Moms for Liberty NC condemns gender transition medications and procedures for minors, biological males competing in female sports, drag impersonation events among children, and queer/gender theory propaganda in schools. [H574/S631-Fairness in Women's Sports Act; H808/S639-Gender Transition/Minors; S49-Parents' Bill of Rights; S90(PCS)-Children's Laws Omnibus; H673-Clarify Regulations on Adult Entertainment]

### **AGE-APPROPRIATE MATERIALS IN SCHOOLS**

Moms for Liberty NC aims to ensure that all materials available in public school settings are free of obscenity, pornography, vulgarity, and sexually explicit language and graphics. This includes, but is not limited to, materials in classrooms, libraries, curriculum, on-line access, and extracurricular activities. Minors are a protected class and should be free to learn in safe environments without exposure to these adult issues and themes. [ \$49-Parents' Bill of Rights; \$90(PCS)-Children's Laws Omnibus ]

### **SAFETY & PROTECTION**

Moms for Liberty NC supports armed security on the property of educational institutions, and increased penalties for school staff and volunteers guilty of sexually abusing children in K-12 schools. We also encourage the use of proper disciplinary action for students instead of only restorative practices. [ H142-Protect Our Students Act; H188-Standards of Student Conduct; S90(PCS)-Children's Laws Omnibus ]

### **ELECTED BY THE PEOPLE, FOR THE PEOPLE**

Moms for Liberty NC asserts that every citizen's vote is sacred. Voting is one way we help the government remain of the people, by the people, and for the people. We support a statewide vote on a Constitutional amendment that allows the citizens to elect the State Board of Education members, rather than have them appointed by the Governor. [H17-Elect the SBE/SPI as SBE Chair]

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