

School Board

CANDIDATE QUESTIONS

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Question 1) Should biological males who identify as female be able to use the girls bathrooms and locker rooms?

Answer: Absolutely no they should not be able to be in the locker room, undress in front of women, or watch women undress. This violates the privacy of women.

Question 2) Should school staff use the preferred pronoun and first name of a child who identifies as the opposite gender they were born with?

Answer: As a retired teacher from a 30 year career, this is one of the main reasons for the looming teacher shortage crisis. Teachers do not want to play this game of calling a boy a girl and vice versa. They resent the reprimand for getting it wrong.

Question 3) Should biological boys compete against biological girls in school sports?

Answer: Boys and girls are different. They have different muscle tone, mass, and body structure. The hard fought rights of females to have their own sports competitions because of these reasons is being eroded quickly to the detriment of womens' sports.

Question 4) Should students and employees be forced to mask and get vaxxed to attend government schools?

Answer: Neither students nor staff should be forced by the government to do anything concerning their own health that they do not wish to do. Employment status and use of the public school system should not be on the condition of doing things that go against their personal beliefs with regard to their health.

Question 5) Should children be taught there are more than two genders?

Answer: Absolutely not, because this goes against reason and common sense. How can we teach children when we are telling them lies that they can see are not true. They will, or they should question every other thing we try to teach them.

Question 6) Should families be able access a portion of state education funding to use for educational expenses, including private school tuition, tutoring, curriculum, and supplies?

Answer: Yes.

Question 7) Do you support or oppose Governor Pritzker's plan to increase Illinois taxpayer-supported education funding by 6.2% in 2024?

Answer: I do not support this in any way. The problem with public education is not that we do not have enough money. It is that we are wasting too much of the taxpayers money on things that do not contribute to the academic mission of the school - namely literacy.

Question 8) To increase equity, should school districts eliminate honors classes?

Answer: Only if you are OK with everyone having equity at the bottom.

Question 9) Should school nurses or other school staff be prohibited from helping students obtain an abortion during or after school hours?

Answer: Absolutely not! Never under any circumstances should any school personnel help a student get any medical procedure, let alone one that includes taking a life. This should be a criminal matter.

Question 10) Should school administrators be required to notify the parents of students who have expressed concerns about their gender identity?

Answer: Ok this question is just too big. We would not know what administrators actually know about a student's gender confusion. How about this? I believe that if any school personnel is caught lying to a parent about gender issues, it should be cause for a write up in their personnel file. For example: Can you tell me what club my high school student attends on Tuesday? If the answer is the LGBTQ club and the parent is told "writing club" that is a violation.



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