

Policy Team & Priorities

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Secure Fair School Funding for All Students

All students deserve to go to excellent, well-funded public schools that prepare them to access and succeed in college and beyond. But not all Texas schools have sufficient funding to provide students with the education and opportunities they deserve.



Expand Excellent Educational Opportunities for Emergent Bilingual Students

Emergent bilingual students have the right to excellent schools that support bilingualism and biliteracy in both a student's home language and English.



Promote Culturally-Sustaining School Climates Where All Students Feel Welcome

All students deserve to learn in culturally-sustaining school environments that affirm their racial, ethnic, gender and other identities. Culturally-sustaining schools create positive, safe and supportive school climates for all students to receive a high-quality education.



Create Safer Schools without Harmful Discipline Practices or Policing Practices

All students deserve safe and welcoming schools. Schools must be able to invest in the people and programs that build strong campus climates and foster relationships that keep everyone safe.



Prepare All Students to Succeed in College

All students deserve a high-quality education that prepares them for college and lifelong success. Schools have the responsibility to prepare all students to succeed in college, but not all students are meeting readiness benchmarks.

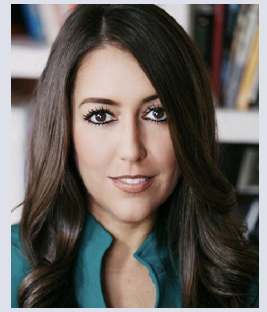


About IDRA

IDRA is an independent, non-profit organization. Our mission is to achieve equal educational opportunity for every child through strong public schools that prepare all students to access and succeed in college.



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