



# Racial Inequities In Education

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# Racist Curriculum & Education System

- Hyper-disciplining

- Black students are 6.2 times more likely to be suspended for something than white students

- Labeling

- Black students are also labeled because of their behavior or because of the way they handle things.

- curriculum

- Standardized tests (ACT,MCA,SAT etc)
    - They're ineffective and outdated
    - Test question



# Ideas for new curriculum

- We need to have more hands on activities as well as opportunities to show creativity.
- Books: Post Traumatic Slave Syndrome, Visions For Black Men, History Teaches Us To Resist, turning 15 On The road to freedom, we are not yet equal etc.
- Mindfulness needs to be incorporated into the curriculum. Science class is a good way to do that.
- teaching students about self care and mindfulness helps to control emotions and the way you look at things. Attitude is everything and its meditation is proven to positively impact your life and mind
- Giving students the power to make changes or change the things they don't like in their schools



# How racism affects mental health

Generational Trauma:

Black parents often have to prepare their children for the brunt of racism in all forms. Black kids are often forced to grow up quickly because of the way society views/treats them

Racism is something that is a very large problem in the world and has generational effects.

This shows up in the way we act and the way we go about our day.



Questions??