COVID 19 + schools reopening

DEAD CHILDREN



Skylar Herbert, from Detroit, was the first child in the state of Michigan to die from COVID-19. She was five years old.



BLOCK THE BUSES

Join the picket line at the west side school bus depot.

Monday, July 13, at 5am 8145 Greenfield Rd., Detroit (Greenfield & Tireman)

*Keep safe from COVID-19: always wear a mask in public.

Shut down face-to-face summer schools. Protect children's lives.

Superintendent Vitti intends to open 23 Detroit schools for in-person classes, as well as two special education centers, on Monday, July 13th. This plan is backed by Mayor Duggan and Governor Whitmer. Their reckless disregard for the lives of Detroit students would expose thousands of children to being infected by COVID-19, under the perfect conditions for the disease to spread on a massive scale. The CDC has said that the full reopening of schools creates the "highest risk" for COVID-19 transmission.

Stop the racist attacks on Detroit students and Detroit schools.

We cannot allow Detroit students to be exploited as guinea pigs, subjected to a sick experiment to test the state's ability to open schools on a larger scale. "Try it on the black and brown kids first" is the real program of the politicians, who are seeking to reopen the economy completely, making blood money while sacrificing the lives of workers and children.

Mayor Duggan and Superintendent Vitti must resign immediately.

Just yesterday, these politicians were posturing with the words "black lives matter." Today, they are showing a callous disregard for black lives much like the police officers who killed George Floyd. They have crossed a line beyond the reach of forgiveness. They must leave so that Detroit can live.

Trump must resign or be removed, by any means necessary.

Trump's COVID-19 policy is a crime against humanity. He has transformed his followers into a suicide cult of racist fanatics. He has caused the deaths of more Americans than anyone in modern history, since Jefferson Davis led the Confederate rebellion. Trump and Pence must go, now.

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