

Education (General Provisions) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024

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Here is a letter written by 10 year old

Dear Sir/Madam.

My name is [REDACTED] and I am 10 years old. I have been homeschooled my whole life.

Being a homeschooler has taught me more things and allowed me to do more things than a school ever could.

For example, I absolutely love D&D. Playing D&D has taught me about religion, maths, geography, history, English, and drama. It has even helped me learn to read.

With my disabilities I am not able to go out much. I have agoraphobia.

Being a homeschooler has helped me with that. It means I can go out when I am comfortable and feel safe and I go to places when they are not busy during the school day.

I've been able to learn in a safe environment learning at my own pace and learning what I'm interested in.

If they were to force me to go to school I would never have been able to learn what I have.

Please don't force me to do the same program that they do at school.

Is your program really the best for all kids in Qld? I think not!

If you force us to follow the school curriculum homeschoolers will revolt and you will get your [REDACTED] handed to you at the next election.

Sincerely

[REDACTED]