FIXING WHAT IS BROKEN

School was first invented on April 23 of 1635. This was all new to people and nothing was known about teaching other humans how to human in order to live in this world to be able to think for themselves.

But as education grew, so did people's judgment of it, like how women shouldn't go to school and should stay home to cook and clean. That is extremely ignorant and should have never been thought of, and so about three centuries later they finally stopped female discrimination and let them go to school and be treated equally.

Things that happen in school affect how we see the future and what we do to it. A lot of students now don't want to go to school. They refuse because it's dreadful days full of tests and scores you try to keep up, all students do now is rush, but when they rush they don't really learn anything but how to cut corners and still get a decent grade. But this isn't how school should be.

School should be a place where people are excited to go and learn new things and the classroom setting shouldn't look like it's just lecturing and you take notes, it should be interactive and almost breathtaking. Back when school first started there were a lot of new things happening and they put students in rows of long desk paper and pencil, taught to do as their teacher says. This was teaching them how to work in a factory where they sit in front of long desks and are told what to do, what to say, and maybe get a 20 minute break. But this is not the old days. We are the future and the future is growing along with the earth and that should give us the right to also grow the ways of our school - changing it for the good. No more tests about simple things like writing and math. Although they are important, so is everything else. Being able to think outside the box is more important than just knowing simple math and algebra.

In 2022 we should be learning more than what we have now and we should learn more about creativity and skills to use in the real world. Our schools nowadays don't teach you to solve real world problems unless you take a single class that some students don't even remember.

High school is a place of memories and not just from the fun moments like prom or homecoming but for the days that students had fun learning. They remember having fun moments learning about math or even English, but this is only going to be able to work if we fund more money into school and teachers. It would give them more to grow and to teach their students in new ways and to make a classroom a comfortable learning environment. We should allow teachers to do with their teaching as they want, teaching their students not just about math but about their experiences and how the math they taught can be used out in the real world.
The problems in schools are not just the teaching but it is also what we are learning because the world is turning, people are changing and so is the world. So if we can't teach our students what is important, if we don't fix what the people before us broke our planet will rot away and end up living in a life where we fear of being on the verge of war and possible death due to our nature of constant war. This can only be fixed by teaching our students how to fix things like global warming and inventing things that can help our earth, but it must start with schools. Our schools are building the future and right now is the perfect time to start because we are still in the place where we can change our actions.

In 2021 as a student I would like to make changes to the school that everyone would also agree with and something we need to change for the better. The structure has not changed since the beginning of school. What worked in the 1950s will not work in today's newer generation and the future generations, even though we get our parents called, our parents are not involved with what goes on in school. A lot of the times students are going through things and they are so stressed that they break, and that's the only time parents see that their children need help and they want to be heard, but no they are sent away to mental hospitals all for their families to forget them and ignore their cries, our students, friends, children need us to thrive so let's open our ears and change what we need to.

It is up to us to rise up and stand for what is right
To fix what is broken.