



## "Is My Child Safe at School?" New Poll Captures Parents' Concerns on School Safety, Guns for Teachers

School should be a place where parents send their children to learn and grow in a safe environment. Yet one in three parents feel that their child is not safe at school.

Survey data released by PDK International shows that 34 percent of parents fear for their child's physical safety while at school, compared to 12 percent in 2013. This data was released ahead of the full survey to help inform ongoing national conversation on school safety after two deadly mass school shootings in Parkland, Florida and Santa Fe, Texas.

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## Examining (and Preventing) the Long-Term Effects of Border Separations on Children

"I felt like a prisoner." "I felt like a dog." "I don't want to remember."  
"They told us to behave or we'd be there forever."

Through the experiences of six children separated at the border from their families, *Washington Post* reporter Michael E. Miller provides a [disturbingly powerful account](#) of how two months in a Texas shelter traumatized the children kept there. Left unknown is how the experience will impact these children over the rest of their lives, although experts say the effect likely will be profound.

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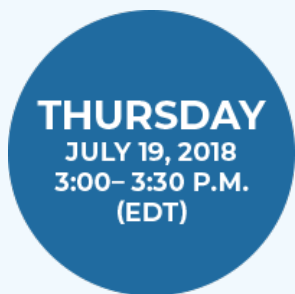
It's July and the summer heat is upon us. What better way to cool down than to take a swim? For students at High Tech High, SCUBA diving is a way to escape the heat and bring environmental learning to life. This week's digest also explores why proficiency-based learning matters to businesses, connects makerspaces to deeper learning, and highlights one take on the most critical element to a students' success.

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What do changes to the brain during adolescence mean for the parents of adolescent students and practitioners who teach them every day? Join All4Ed for a webinar with All4Ed President Bob Wise and Sarah-Jayne Blakemore, PhD, professor of cognitive neuroscience at University College London, and author of *Inventing Ourselves: The Secret Life of the Teenage Brain*.

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### Science of Adolescent Learning: How Body and Brain Development Affect Student Learning



In this webinar, All4Ed welcomes Dr. Jesse Washington, III, a practitioner, and Dr. Richard Clark, a researcher, to examine biological changes that occur during adolescence, both in the body and the brain, and to discuss how to ensure that learning opportunities support adolescents' development during this critical time.

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### World Class: How to Build a 21st-Century School System

In a world where topics that are easy to teach and test also have become easy to digitize and automate, what qualities will shape the rapidly changing world for the better? This is a key question behind Andreas Schleicher's new book, *World Class: How to Build a 21st-Century School System*. Join All4Ed for a spirited and thoughtful conversation between Schleicher and All4Ed President Bob Wise.

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This week's Federal Flash covers Supreme Court nominee Brett Kavanaugh's record on education, congressional action on border separation, and action by President Trump that could jeopardize diversity in schools. Finally, this week's Federal Flash reveals the one state yet to have its education plan approved by the Education Department.

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## The Every Student Succeeds Act



To keep you up to date on the latest happenings with the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) and its implementation, the Alliance for Excellent Education has created a series of bite-sized materials – both print and video – that provide concise but comprehensive analyses of several key areas within ESSA.

Under ESSA, states have flexibility to chart their own path to educational success, but they must submit a plan to the U.S. Department of Education (ED) explaining how they will reach these goals. To provide a quick reference guide of strengths and shortcomings for each state's plan, All4Ed created the series, "ESSA Equity Dashboards."

Recently, All4Ed added new one-page "dashboards" summarizing the pros and cons in the ESSA plans for these states:

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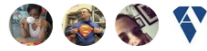
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