



Education Rights Videos

Social Media Guide

Share with your networks and help amplify these voices! Use this social media guide that includes pre-written captions and descriptions.

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Education Rights Holders: Getting the Right Person Appointed

Video Links & Sample Language for Posting Videos on Social Media Channels (Instagram, TikTok, Facebook, X, etc.):

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Sample Hashtags:

#FosterYouthEdRights

#EdRightsForFosterYouth

#FosterYouthEducationRights #SupportFosterYouth

#FosteringEdRights

#KnowYourEdRightsFY

Video Links & Language for Posting Video on YouTube Channel:

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[\(795\) Education Rights Holders - Getting the Right Person Appointed - YouTube](#)

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School of Origin Rights

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School changes can disrupt a young person’s education and well-being, and for system-involved youth, staying in one school can be the difference between success and falling behind. In this video, Alliance Education Rights Advocate Myriah Smiley shares her experience with educational instability and how it impacted her. Learn how to support school stability for system-impacted youth by visiting [Alliance for Children’s Rights](#).

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Learn more about immediate enrollment rights for youth involved in systems by visiting at the [Alliance for Children's Rights](#).

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Did you know that 1/3 of youth involved in systems change schools every year? When school changes happen, and you are not staying in your school of origin, you have the right to immediate enrollment in the same classes you were in at your old school. In this video, you will see a scene that happened to a real young person who was denied these rights and what should have happened. Learn more about immediate enrollment rights for youth involved in systems by visiting the [Alliance for Children's Rights](#).

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Youth involved in systems have many unique education rights, but exercising them can be hard at times. In this video, a panel of experts with lived experience discuss their right to have an education rights holder and graduation options. They also share their experiences with these rights and tips for using them. Learn more about education rights for youth who are systems-involved at the [Alliance for Children's Rights](#).

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Website Language to Post

We are excited to share a new video series created by young people who are impacted by the child welfare and probation systems *for* young people impacted by those systems. The series highlights key educational rights that every foster and probation-impacted youth should know. These short videos and youth-friendly flyers cover various topics using skits and testimonials to inform young people and those who support them about their education rights.

Watch and help amplify these voices by sharing the videos and flyers with your network! All videos are available for anyone to download and share with your networks on the [Office of Child Protection's Youth Engagement Resources](#) website.

For more information about youth education rights and resources, check out the [Alliance for Children's Rights Foster Youth Education Toolkit](#).

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Email/Newsletter Language Share Video Series

Subject:

Educational Rights Videos Created by Young People for Young People

Description:

We are thrilled to share a new video series created by young people impacted by the child welfare and probation systems, highlighting key educational rights that every youth who is involved in those systems has a right to. These short videos cover an array of topics using skits and testimonials to inform young people and those who support them about their education rights.

View all the videos at [\(57\) Office of Child Protection Educational Videos - YouTube](#).

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To make it easy to share on your social media channels, the [OCP's Youth Engagement website](#) also includes a social media guide with links to each video, pre-written captions, and youth-friendly fliers on foster youth education rights.

Flyer

[General Education Rights of Youth \(English\)](#)



What are my rights?

Right to School of Origin:

- You have a right to attend your 'school of origin': (1) the school you attended when you were first removed from your parents; (2) the last school you attended; or (3) any school you attended in the last 15 months where you felt a connection.
- You can remain at your school of origin until the end of the year after your case closes if you are elementary or middle school, and all the way until graduation if you are in high school.
- You may be eligible for transportation support to get back to your school of origin.

Right to Immediate Enrollment:

- You have a right to be immediately enrolled in and attend school, even if you do not have any of the required documents (transcripts, immunization records, proof of residence).
- You cannot be forced to attend a continuation school, adult school, independent study program, or school for pregnant/parenting teens, even if you are not on track for high school graduation, have failing grades, or have behavior problems at school. (Unless you have been formally expelled or your IEP requires you to go to school somewhere else).

Right to Partial Credit:

- You have a right to receive partial credits when you transfer schools mid-semester for all work you completed before moving.
- You cannot be forced to retake parts of a class you already passed if it would throw you off-track for graduation.
- You must be enrolled in the same or similar courses as those you were in at your last school.

