EDUCATION STATISTICS

School Choice is not for everyone. <u>Cost</u>, <u>convenience</u>, and <u>quality</u> of education are deciding factors. There's a shortage of good schools available. (Children would be waitlisted.) Homeschooling may not be practical. <u>Choice</u> doesn't fix the problem. It only delays the solution.

| <u>Enrollments</u> | | | |
|--------------------|---------|--------|--|
| Public | (75.5%) | 45.9 M | |
| Charter | (05.1%) | 03.1 M | |
| Private | . , | | |
| Home | (10.4%) | 06.3 M | |



There are **82,423 School Board Members** nationwide, with an average of **5 members per District**. Most are <u>unpaid volunteers</u> serving a 4 year term. Decisions are often made by a **3 to 2 majority**. <u>A single member can determine policy</u>. **There is no parental representation**.

Liberals control most School Boards that has given Associations and Unions immense power. Winning elections only provides incremental change.