

Protesters at the Feb. 22, 2021 Colts Neck school board meeting. A proposed policy change was rejected.

Race and sexuality in school

[finds. LGBTQ issues? Not so much.](#)

[Critical race theory](#) is the idea that race

"acknowledges that the legacy of slavery, segregation and the imposition of second-class citizenship on Black Americans and other people of color continue to permeate the social fabric of this nation," according to the [American Bar Association](#).

Moms for Liberty is another parents' rights organization that [advocates](#) for giving parents more control over curriculum and "moral" issues that affect children within public schools. The group opposes transgender children participating in

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carrying out in public places, including arenas, parks, beaches and stadiums. According to the group's [Facebook page](#), it started operating in December 2022.

- **John Birch Society** - The SPLC describes as "conspiracy theorists," has active members in New Jersey. The [society's website](#) says American public schools are "failing" and accuses the institutions of "brainwashing students with harmful ideologies."
- **The National Constitutional Coalition of Patriots of America** is another "anti-government" organization with New Jersey members, according to the SPLC. Following the 2018 school shootings in Parkland, Florida, the coalition organized [roundtrips](#) across the nation, according to NPR.
- **National Justice Party - New Jersey** is an antisemitic, Holocaust-denying, white nationalist group, according to the SPLC.
- **New Jersey European Heritage** is an antisemitic, white nationalist organization, according to the SPLC and the [Anti-Defamation League](#).
- **Patriot Defense Book** is a statewide neo-Nazi group, according to the SPLC.
- **Proud Boy** are a hate and right-wing extremism group with active members in New Jersey, according to the SPLC and Anti-Defamation League.
- **R.V. Bey Publication** is a Pleasantville-based sovereign citizens movement group, according to the SPLC.
- **1488 Club - New York Detachment** is a statewide neo-Nazi group, according to the law center.
- **Freedom of America** is a Florida-based anti-government organization, according to the SPLC.
- **United Patriots of America** is an anti-immigrant group based in Linden, according to the law center.

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