



A Union of Education, Technical Support, Charter School and Education Support Professionals

Media Advisory

Grassroots group will protest to proposed school district budget cuts; to preserve block scheduling

COOPER CITY, FLA., April 20, 2011 — A community grassroots group of parents and students will take to the streets in protest of proposed school district budget cuts and in support of saving block scheduling for students in Broward schools. The protest is planned from 2:45 p.m. to 3:30 p.m. today, Wednesday, April 20 in front of Cooper City High School on the sidewalk along 9401 Stirling Road. Participants will be wearing all red.

Due to possible massive budget cuts, the School Board has suggested eliminating block schedules so all district secondary schools would be on the same six-of-seven period instructional day. Union leaders continue to support the right of teachers, parents and other community stakeholders to elect the type of schedule that works best for their individual school.

All media outlets are urged to cover this important parent and student event.

EVENT SNAPSHOT

Event: Protest against budget cuts and to preserve block scheduling

Time: 2:45 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

Date: Today, Wednesday, April 20

Location: On the sidewalk in front of Cooper City High School
9401 Stirling Road
Cooper City, FL 33328

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