

WHERE IN THE WORLD ARE KIDS STILL BEING TREATED THIS WAY?

Kids with concerning behavior often receive the most harsh, punitive, exclusionary discipline, and kids in Louisiana are no exception.

No matter how you feel about such procedures, we know this: they aren't working, they're unnecessary, they're very expensive, and they're causing us to lose some of our most vulnerable kids. There's a better way.

The numbers in **LOUISIANA**



2,230

MINORS ARRESTED
at school or referred to
law enforcement for
behavior issues annually

203

KIDS SECLUDED
or restrained in
schools annually

131,785

KIDS SUSPENDED
from school for behavior
issues annually

1,301

KIDS PADDLED
at schools annually

Lives In The Balance is devoted to helping caregivers use evidence-based practices that are non-punitive, non-exclusionary, proactive, and collaborative. For the kids' sake and yours, we invite you to explore proven alternatives.

Access our free web-based resources
at livesinthebalance.org

