

The Heights Coalition for Public Education Invites you to Join us for:

# A Community Book Discussion

Thursday, April 7 & Wednesday April 13, 2016

7pm-9pm at the Heights High Cafeteria

Alfie Kohn's book "The Schools our Children Deserve"

*"A plague has been sweeping through American schools, wiping out the most innovative instruction and beating down some of the best teachers and administrators. Ironically, that plague has been unleashed in the name of improving schools. Invoking such terms as "tougher standards," "accountability," and "raising the bar," people with little understanding of how children learn have imposed a heavy-handed, top-down, test-driven version of school reform that is lowering the quality of education in this country."*

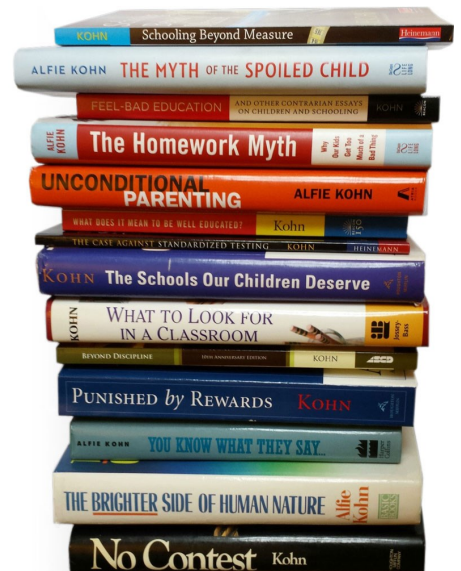
Thursday, April 7—Part 1 (focus on chapters 4-6)

Wednesday, April 13—Part 2 and appendix

We have given you a year off to recover from "Reign of Error." Now get ready to tackle Alfie Kohn

Books are available for 20% off retail price (your cost \$12.76) from both Mac's Backs on Coventry and Appletree Books on Cedar at Fairmount. Please support our local stores.

Free childcare by reservation: Call 216-321-0020



Alfie Kohn has published 14 books since 1986. *The Schools Our Children Deserve* predicts with alarming accuracy many of the attacks on high quality education.

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We are parents, teachers and members of the Cleveland Heights–University Heights community who are dedicated to a system of public schools that provides all children an education that gives them the opportunity to succeed in life. We believe in our schools, our teachers, our families and our students.

State mandated tests are not legitimate measures of the quality of education students experience or our community values. We advocate for the end of state and federal policies that are harming children and public education.

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