

LANDSCAPE FOR THE FUTURE



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THE SET UP!

Schedule

Facilities

Not Legal Advice

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FUTURE POLICIES – A LOOK IN THE CRYSTAL BALL



- 1. Justice Scalia's absence**
- 2. Justice Gorsuch's addition**
- 3. President Trump's agenda**
- 4. Secretary of Education DeVos**

JUSTICE SCALIA'S CONSERVATIVE APPROACH TO EDUCATION

- 1. No to consideration of race in higher education and K-12 schools**
- 2. Backed a low wall of separation between church and state**
- 3. Favored school administrators over students and their rights**

PRESIDENT TRUMP' S **AGENDA**



- 1. Overturned accountability rules for ESSA**
- 2. Overturned rules governing teacher-prep**
- 3. Recinded Obama-era guidance on Transgender access to bathrooms and locker-rooms**
- 4. Immediately add an additional federal investment of \$20 billion towards school choice. This will be done by reprioritizing existing federal dollars.**
- 5. Give states the option to allow these funds to follow the student to the public or private school they attend. Distribution of this grant will favor states that have private school choice, magnet schools and charter laws, encouraging them to participate.**

EDUCATION SECRETARY **DEVOS' AGENDA**

- 1. Leave many decisions to the States**
- 2. Support of Vouchers to enhance school choice**
- 3. Support of Charter Schools to enhance school choice**
- 4. Privatization of schools**

