

My name is Kalinikea Kolmogoroff, I am a mother of 3. We moved to Oregon March 20th 2020, right as Governor Kate Brown shut down the schools. We were disappointed but we patiently waited for schools to open back up. Fast forward to Sept 2020 I enrolled my children in 2 different schools. To say CDL was an utter disaster is an under statement. It caused so much emotional distress, anxiety, stress, panic and the tears were a regular outcome from online public education. I blame ODE for their incompetence in reopening schools and the quality of education rolled out for families. January 2021 was the month I said I had enough, and pulled my children out of public school to home school. Never in my life had I ever thought about home schooling but with Oregon public education I had no choice. We couldn't financially afford to enroll in a private school and really needed a break from the computers. I came across a great program with Summit Learning but they were not able to accommodate my children as enrollment was full. We are enrolled for the 2021-2022 school year and couldn't be more excited. This program allows me to continue at home learning with supplemental teachings from a teacher. This allows my children to enjoy a relationship with a teacher and lessons being taught by someone other than Mrs.Mama. The biggest help is the financial allowance for curriculum! Boy do those books add up. would hope that more families can have the same opportunity. Please vote yes to eliminate the cap on charter schools. Thank you.