

**KENTUCKY UNITED NATIONS ASSEMBLY  
OFFICIAL PROPOSAL**

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Proposal #: **36**

Assignment: **F**

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Country: **Japan**

School: **Noe MS**

City: **Louisville**

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Title: **An act to make an individualized learning plan for each child in Japanese schools**

BE IT HEREBY ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS

Justification Clause: In Japanese schools, everyone has the same curriculum. If someone in your class is falling behind, the teacher won't move on to the next topic unless everyone in the class has mastered the skill. That means that the students falling behind will be put under excessive stress trying to keep up with everyone. This problem also affects the high achieving students who are being held back by their peers that need more help. This proposal will take the stress off of students that are struggling to keep up with the class, while allowing other students to excel above and beyond what everyone else is doing.

Section I: In Japan, no schools are free, so kids are put under extreme pressure by parents so the parents "get their money's worth." In a study 80% of parents say they're concerned about their kid's studies. According to the same study 86% of Japanese students said they weren't sleeping enough, 80% of kids felt stressed, and 40% of kids get less than six hours of sleep. To add to the stress, kids have extra classes after school hours.

Section II: When this proposal goes into effect, each school will be required to give each student an assessment in the weeks leading up to the beginning of the school year. All incoming students will have a week where they come in one time to take the assessment. Based on their score they will be put in a program where they will be able to be with other students with the same capabilities. Then they will not be put under the stress of trying to keep up.

Section III: If a school does not provide an individual plan for each student based on their abilities, they will be given a warning. The second time they will get fined \$500 US dollars. On the third time they will be fined \$1,000 US dollars. If they refuse to comply with the rules after that the school will be temporarily closed.

Section 4: This proposal will go into effect two school years after it is passed.