

The requirement to designate teams by sex is an invasion of privacy for children. In high school, we are all awkward and bumbling, trying to find our place, and explore independence. Adding and enforcing teams by sex makes little to no sense because teens are participating either for fun or to beef up a college application. Any measures that make it difficult for teens to be themselves and have fun like this proposed ban harms not only teenagers who are trans and gender nonconforming, it hurts cisgender teens as well. That type of scrutiny placed on young girls, both trans and cisgender, is violating. It makes little to no sense to enforce measures that harm all teen girls in schools. This piece of legislation is a violation of privacy, and has no place in this country in 2023. Protect all the teen girls in sports by voting no on this bill.