

THE LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
JUNIOR RESERVES OFFICER CORPS (JROTC)
Human Rights Committee, UTLA and Coalition Against the Militarism in our Schools (CAMS)

WHEREAS: Section 51750 of the California Education Code states: The governing board of any school district maintaining a secondary school may establish in the school courses in military science and tactics complying with the laws of the United States made and provided with reference to Reserve Officers Training Corps units in educational institutions. No student enrolled in any such school shall be required to enroll in any course in military science and tactics.

WHEREAS: Students and parents from schools across the local districts report that they are placed into JROTC without their request,

WHEREAS, at some high schools, counselors automatically place students into JROTC when there is no physical education class available,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT, LAUSD shall inform parents and students that JROTC is a voluntary program, and all students who have not chosen the program will be removed from the class and given an appropriate alternative.

BE IT RESOLVED THAT LAUSD will provide adequate physical education class electives and leadership classes for students to meet their general education and college requirements;