



"A teacher affects eternity; he can never tell where his influence stops."  
Henry Brooks Adams

## SAVE OUR SCHOOLS MARCH FREE WEBINAR SUNDAY, MAY 5TH, 8:00-9:30 P.M. EDT Stand Up For a Teacher

Save Our Schools is hosting a webinar on May 5th at 8PM EDT as a prelude and kickoff to action for Teacher Appreciation Week activities this year. We plan on having teachers from around the country honored and highlighted for their efforts.

Those recognized during the webinar will speak to the struggle in their schools. In addition they will share how we might truly appreciate what is being done by them and others to preserve and protect Public Education.

### TEACHERS ON THE WEBINAR INCLUDE:

❖ **Jesse Hagopian** teaches history. He is the Black Student Union adviser at Garfield High School in Seattle, the site of the historic boycott of the MAP test in 2013 and a founding member of the *Social Equality Educators* (SEE) organization.

### TWO BILINGUAL ELEMENTARY TEACHERS FROM ALBUQUERQUE NEW MEXICO:

❖ **Sonya Romero Smith** is a Kindergarten Bilingual teacher with her expertise and experience in best practices for Early Childhood. Sonya is the Executive Vice President of the Albuquerque Teachers Federation.

❖ **David Wilson** is in his 26th year as a dual language teacher. David maintains a blog entitled Teach Truth to Power.

### TEACHERS FROM THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY:

❖ **Nadia Zananiri** from Miami Dade High School. Nadia is an AP history teacher and education blogger.

❖ **Okaikor Aryee-Price** is a member of IDEA, Our Children/Our Schools: [www.ourchildrenourschools.org](http://www.ourchildrenourschools.org) and Save Our Schools March. She taught in Jersey City, NJ for 11 years and is currently teaching Language Arts in Hackensack.

❖ **Becca Ritchie** a middle school teacher in Renton, a union activist, SOS Information coordinator and founding member of the WEA choir.

❖ **Margo Murray** is Chicago teacher, member of CORE and has the distinction of having been through four school closures while teaching in Chicago's Public Schools

❖ **Lauren Cohen** is New York teacher, MORE representative and actively works within Change The Stakes.

Come and join our free webinar to launch Teacher Appreciation Week-Stand Up for Your Teacher. A parent gives you a mug, you hand them a flyer about how they can help.

**To See How You Can Help** and obtain flyers and talking point letters on high-stakes standardized testing go to the **Teacher Appreciation** and/or **Action** pages.

*Standing up for our teachers, public schools, and our children does not stop on May 10th. The struggle continues.*

**THANKS FOR TRULY APPRECIATING THE EDUCATOR IN YOUR DISTRICT BY CONSIDERING AN ACTION OR EVENT THAT SUPPORTS THEIR WORK IN YOUR COMMUNITY.**

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