

Ladies and gentlemen,

Thank you for granting me the opportunity to speak on behalf of the student body regarding the proposed budget cuts by the student council.

First, I want to emphasize the importance of our extracurricular programs and support services, which are significantly impacted by these cuts.

Activities such as arts, sports, and clubs play a vital role in enriching our educational experience and personal development.

Second, these cuts could disproportionately affect students who rely on financial support to participate in various school activities. This can lead to a lack of inclusivity and equal opportunity.

Finally, I urge the council to consider alternative solutions that do not compromise the quality of our education or the breadth of opportunities available to us. We need to explore other areas where reductions can be made, or perhaps even ways to increase funding.

Let us work together to find a path that benefits all students and preserves the integrity of our school programs. Thank you.