The Path From School Suspensions to Youth Incarceration in California

Without taking suspensions into account, youth of color and boys are more likely to become incarcerated.



Compared with one White girl who ends up detained or incarcerated in secure county facilities in California

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...Latina girls are twice as likely,

...White boys are four times as likely,

...Black girls are seven times as likely,

...Latino boys are eleven times as likely,



...and Black boys are thirty-three times as likely to become detained or incarcerated in secure county facilities.

School suspensions dramatically increase the chance that youth will be detained or incarcerated in a secure county facility.



Compared with one White girl who has never been suspended yet still becomes detained or incarcerated in secure county facilities in California...

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...White girls who have been suspended are five times as likely

...Latina girls who have been suspended are ten times as

...White boys who have been suspended are twenty-three times as likely,



...Black girls who have been suspended are thirty-six times as likely,



...Latino boys who have been suspended are fifty-nine times as likely,



...and Black boys who have been suspended are one hundred and eighty times as likely to be detained or incarcerated in secure county facilities.

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