

European Marist Education Network: Stand in Solidarity with US Students for Improving Gun Control

A petition allows the students of the Marist Education Projects in Europe to voice their solidarity with their fellow students in the USA. The debate about gun control in the USA touches the young people all over the world... In order to access the European Marist Education Network petition, click on the link under.

Thanks to its partner schools, the Maristengymnasium in Fürstenzell is a part of a large network of schools in Europe and throughout the world founded by the Society of Mary.

Our partner Marist School in Atlanta, USA, took part in a day of action in Washington D.C. on Saturday March 24th in order to promote stricter gun control laws in the United States. Young Americans are increasingly reacting to the repeated incidents of multiple deaths and injuries, such as recently in Maryland, by taking to the streets in order to demand tighter laws or the complete prohibition of weapons in private hands.

The Marist schools in Europe are in solidarity with this action and are taking part in this protest movement in their own way. The Maristengymnasium provided a symbol for this movement by gathering hundreds of pupils in the playground in order to express their sympathy and support.

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