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## Parental Choice

In April 1776, the choice before the Continental Congress was unmistakable: Should the colonies seek reconciliation with Great Britain, or declare their independence? The time for petitions, persuasion, and patient reasoning was rapidly closing as armed conflict intensified.

Americans have long cherished the idea of choice—whether in style, food, political candidates, entertainment, or nearly every other area of life. We value the individual’s right to determine what is best for themselves and their family.

Today, another significant choice stands before us: parental choice in education. Over time, the American educational landscape has shifted toward fewer options, as state-sponsored and state-funded systems have expanded and alternatives have become financially out of reach for many families.

Now, parents across America have a new opportunity to afford an alternative school, as the provisions of the Big Beautiful Bill are being implemented. This legislation offers families a viable and meaningful choice in their children’s education. See your local LCMS District for more information.

The Lutheran Center for Religious Liberty supports Educational Freedom—empowering parents to choose the school that best reflects their values and meets their child’s needs.

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