

The White House  
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Dear Mr. President Obama,

My name is Maria Guerrero, I am in 5 grade at Dwight school. I have to talk about a particular issue. I think that the biggest problem in our society is gender inequality. This is a problem because men get more opportunities in life than women. I choose this issue because we have been learning about it in class. We have learned that people think that there is gender equality but there is still not equality. Something that I hate is when there are people that say "oh women can't do that," but I know they can. People still think that women are just a pretty face or the one in charge of organizing everything at home, but women are not just that; they can do everything they put a goal to. We also talked about it with my friends. When they grow up they want to become President of the United States, and another wants to become hip hop dancer, and I want to become a fashion designer. These are our dreams. Don't you think that all girls should be able to dream?

What's happening? Men get more opportunities in life. Such as getting a job in sports and being President. One of the biggest problems is that if a man and a woman are working in the same job, men get 100% of the salary while women may get 70%. You may be wondering why? Because some women are afraid to stand up for themselves or they still think they are just good for doing chores. So, I want to stand up for every woman in the country.

I think the best way to fix this problem is by giving everyone equal rights no matter who they are. HOW? Well you can just add the 30% that is missing in women's salary. Also, helping girls who can't afford to go to school and instead do housework for their families. Finally we can support more girls in sports.

I WANT TO OPEN THE DOOR FOR MORE GIRLS THAT HAVE A DREAM!!!

Sincerely,

Maria Guerrero