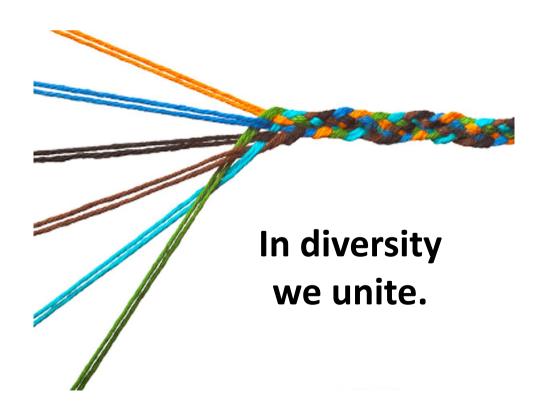
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#### **AGENDA**

- 1. Challenges for the educational system and for independent schools in Austria.
- 2. Our vision: What do we NEOS want to achieve?
- 3. Five hypotheses What fosters capacity, diversity and innovation in education?

#### 1. CHALLENGES

- High expenses but very average learning outcomes
- A high number of at-risk pupils
- Too many early school leavers
- Education is socially inherited



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- Talents of children with migration background are ignored
- Structural rigidities and bureaucratic obstacles
- Ideological blockades and politically motivated staffing policy
- Independent schools are heavily disadvantaged



#### The **NEOS**-Approach

# free choice of pedagogical concept full financial responsibility free staffing decisions

#### 5 HYPOTHESES FOR SUCCESSFUL SOCIAL INNOVATION

- 1. Common basic understanding about education and learning goals
- 2. Co-creating spaces for freedom and responsibility



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- 3. Improve professional self-concept and public image of teachers
- 4. Foster parental responsibility and involvement
- 5. Overcoming the duality of competition and cooperation
- it's about fruitful synchrony!

