My child is an innocent victim in this case. Jamila Williams has been convicted of sexually abusing boys and she is in prison for it where she belongs. This could have been avoided, but the school failed to implement the necessary protection for our kids.

The school didn't follow their own guidelines that are printed in their manual that is faithfully handed out each year to all the parents.

You would think that since this all happened we would have received an apology from the school and that the school would have asked us how our sons are doing or asked if the school could do anything to help us. Instead it's been complete silence. Staff that once was close to our boys, now turn the other way. The boys have suffered enough. They have lost friends, had to be counseled with total strangers and some went into a depression stage trying to figure out why this happened to them. Some blamed themselves as victims sometimes do.

Some people say that the boys should be fine because they are boys, but boys who are victims of child sexual abuse get hurt and are also affected negatively just as much as girls who are victims of child sexual abuse. There are
plenty of grown men right now that are still suffering from what happened to them as a child. This is something that they will live with for the rest of their lives. The boys are the ones that were violated. Why do they have to be the ones that continue suffering? When does it stop? When do the "authorities" step up and admit that they were in the wrong and that they failed to provide the proper people, security and protection for our children to have a healthy safe educational environment in which to learn.

How can the school justify spending millions of dollars on a new school building, but not have the proper safety or protection in place for our children?

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