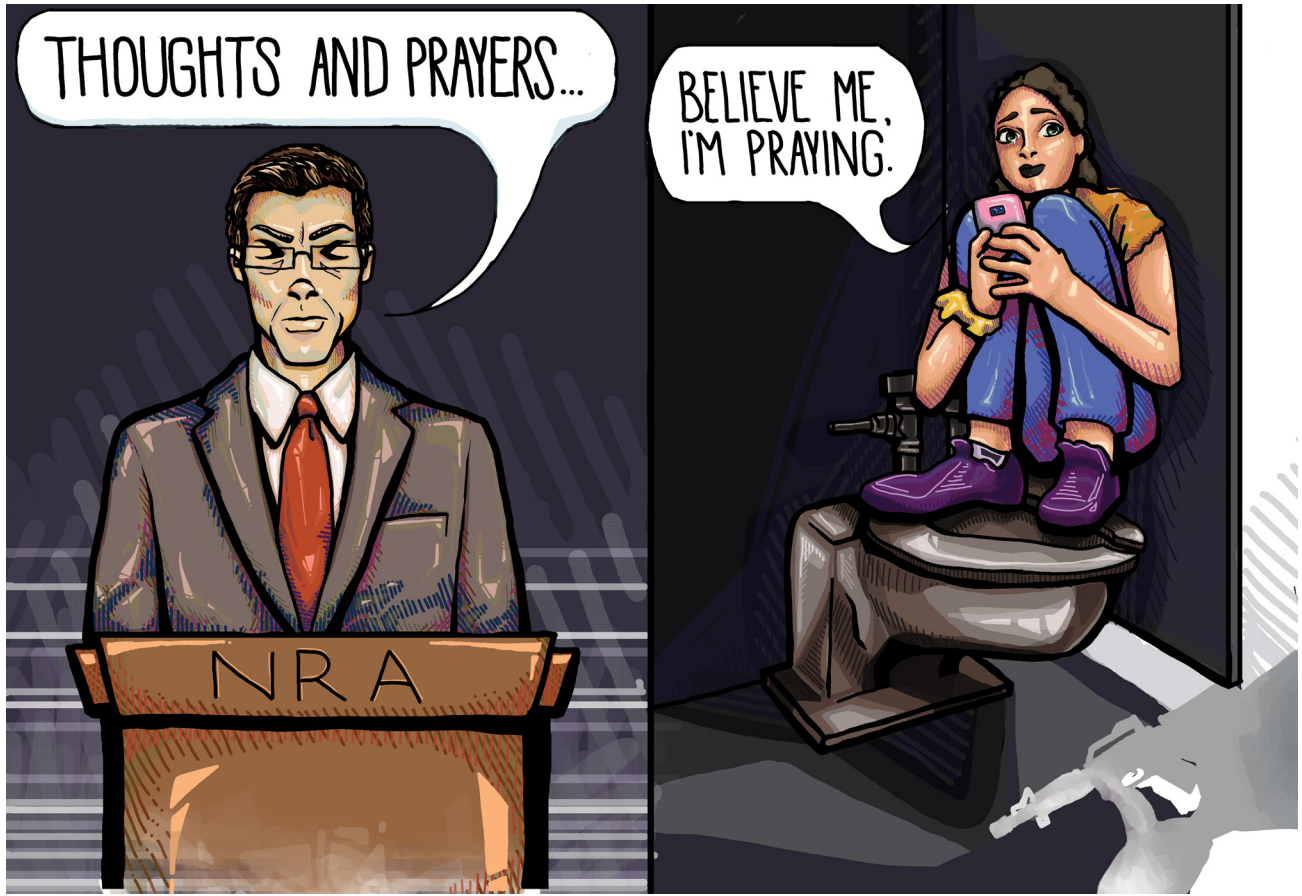


EDITORIAL CARTOON: THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS



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# EAST SPEAKS OUT

Is it the responsibility of K-12 schools to encourage women to enter into STEM fields?  
interviews and photography **evie colpi**

**CAMDEN FRAZIER**



**FRESHMAN**

“Yes, women should have equal rights and should be able to choose what field they go into”

**FARRAH MILES**



**SOPHOMORE**

No, while I do think it is a great opportunity and a great thing to offer courses and classes that would pertain to women in STEM, I don't think it would necessarily be the school's responsibility to promote such activities.”

**BROOKLYN SALYERS**



**JUNIOR**

“No, I don't think it is the responsibility of the schools to push women into the STEM programs because most highschool students are aware of career choices for their future and that is their decision.”

**VELDIS KUMAHKINGA**



**SENIOR**

“No, I don't think it would be the school's responsibility because not everyone wants to go into a science field, and why waste the money?”