HEIGHTS coalition for PUBLIC education

We call on Congress and the Ohio Legislature to end their war on public education and regain a responsible approach to education in a democracy:

*Abandon high-stakes testing, which is an invalid use of standardized tests to judge, label and punish children, teachers, schools, and communities.

*Stop transferring public school funds to private and religious education. End vouchers and charter schools.

*Fulfill their constitutional obligation to provide adequate and equitably distributed funds for a thorough education for all children.

*Embrace locally-developed assessments of student learning that inform instruction, support a broad curriculum, and encourage creative and higher level thinking.

*Value, trust, and invest in the development of teachers as respected and effective professionals.

I AGREE WITH THE POSITION STATEMENT ABOVE. PLEASE ADD MY NAME TO THE LIST OF ENDORSERS

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