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As parents of children who attend Pennsylvania public schools in Chester County, we are opposed to GCA Testing.

Ed & Kathleen Crenny  
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Standardized testing would increase significantly. Why don't you send the letter or e-mails.

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5/21/2008

The window to comment on the GCA Testing is now! The T/E school district is opposed to this testing. We are asking everyone to read the information below and make comment to the State Board of education. You can do so by following the links. There is also a list of email addresses that you can use to cut and past to send a comment. It can be short and sweet. They are really only counting those for and those opposed. The window is only 30 days, so please take the opportunity to comment.

Thanks.

Amy McCue PTO Co-President

Lisa Myers PTO Co-President

The State Board of Education has officially posted the regulation regarding the proposed Graduation Competency Assessments (GCAs) in the Pennsylvania Bulletin. There is a 30 day comment period during which community members may submit written comments, suggestions or objections regarding the proposed regulation to be considered by the Independent Regulatory Review Commission (IRRC). All comments submitted during the 30 day period will be recorded by the State Board of Education and attached to the regulations as they move through the process.

Interested community members are invited to submit comments on the GCA proposal to Jim Buckheit, Executive Director, State Board of Education; the IRRC; and the Republican and Democratic Chairs of the Senate and House Education Committees: Senator James Rhoades, Senator Raphael Musto, Representative Jess Stairs and Representative James Roebuck. In addition, please consider sending a copy of your comments to local legislators: Representative Duane Milne, Representative Carole Rubley, Senator Edwin Erickson, and Senator Andrew Dinniman.

**For ease of sending your comments via email, here is the list of contact email addresses to copy and paste into your email:**

jbuckheit@state.pa.us; irrc@irrc.state.pa.us; jrhowades@pasen.gov; musto@pasenate.com; jstairs@pahousegop.com; jroebuck@pahouse.net; dmilne@pahousegop.com; cruble@pahousegop.com; eerickson@pasen.gov; andydinniman@pasenate.com

For additional information on sending a comment regarding the GCAs, including a sample letter and talking points, please visit the T/E School District web site at [www.tesd.net/gcacomments.htm](http://www.tesd.net/gcacomments.htm).

This is an important piece of legislation that could affect children in Pennsylvania beginning with the graduating class of 2014. The deadline to submit comments on the GCAs is **June 16, 2008**, so don't let the school year end before sending your comment!

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