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Please do not support the proposed Graduation Competency Assessments. We already have too much high stakes testing, and spending millions of extra dollars that could be used to help students just doesn't make sense. Furthermore, a student's achievements can't be demonstrated only through a test. If you're concerned about social promotions, then address that issue, but not through another test especially at the end of a student's public education.

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