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**From:** ContactForm@state.pa.us  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 09, 2013 10:12 PM  
**To:** Help  
**Subject:** IRRC Website - New Message



A new message has arrived from the IRRC Website

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**Company:**

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**Subject:** Pennsylvania Core Standards

**Message:**

Reference IRRC No. 2976 Dear Mr. Sumner, Please, I implore you to STOP Pennsylvania Core Standards. Where will the the funds come from for this unfunded mandate? Cash strapped schools are already struggling. We as parents know what is right for our kids and we as local taxpayers and residents know what is right for our local school districts. If PA Core Standards are enacted, the state of Pennsylvania will have effectively stripped my voice and opinion as a parent of school age children with regard to curriculum and what is best for my children. I am my child's only true and best advocate. Do not subject my child to relentless data mining/tracking for the rest of their lives. PA Core Standards are a straightjacket for our wonderful teachers. Teaching to the test is not teaching. Our children deserve better than this "ONE SIZE FITS ALL" approach to education. Again....how will we pay for this unfunded mandate? We are better than this....we are Pennsylvanians....we can provide our children with a better alternative to FED ED. Again, I beg of you to STOP Pennsylvania Core Standards. Pa Core Standards are bad for Pennsylvanian students and the tax payer. Please stop this unfunded and unfounded regulation. Sincerely, Brian J. Richardson

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