

# STEPS TO TAKE TO **STOP** COMMON CORE

Let your elected officials know you are a parent or concerned citizen and you do not want Common Core in Florida. Contact the following officials by one of these methods of communication, listed in order of priority:

1. Personal visit
2. Personally drafted letter
3. Call
4. Email
5. On line petition.

And it doesn't hurt to use multiple methods.

## CONTACT INFORMATION

### Office of Governor Rick Scott

State of Florida  
The Capitol  
400 S. Monroe St.  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-0001  
Phone: (850) 717-9337

### The President of the Senate Don Gatz

212 Senate Office Building  
404 South Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-1100  
Phone: (850) 897-5747  
*Thank Senator Gatz for standing up against  
Common Core.*

### Speaker of the House Will Weatherford

420 The Capitol  
402 South Monroe Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32399-130  
Phone: (850) 558-5115  
*Thank Speaker Weatherford standing up  
against Common Core.*

### Pam Stewart

Interim Commissioner Florida Department of  
Education  
325 W. Gaines Street  
Tallahassee, FL 32399  
Phone: (850) 245-0505

Additional contact information for the following offices(ers) can be found in the enclosed package:

- Your local State Representative
- Your local State Senator
- Your US Congressional Member
- Your Local School Board Members

## CONTACT THE PTA

If you are a member of your child's PTA. **Contact the Florida PTA President and voice your opposition to their support of CC.** PTA has power based on number of membership. Withdraw your membership immediately. PTA is being paid \$1million from Bill Gates Foundation to promote CCSI. Instead of paying PTA dues 2013-14 school year forward \$5 to your child's teacher.

Eileen Segal-Florida PTA President  
1747 Orlando Central Parkway  
Orlando, FL 32809

Phone: 407-855-7604, 800-373-5782  
Email: [president@floridapta.org](mailto:president@floridapta.org)

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## JOIN NORTHEAST FLORIDA PARENTS AGAINST COMMON CORE

**Facebook Page:** <https://www.facebook.com/NEFPACC>

**Facebook Group:** <https://www.facebook.com/groups/187092034788833/>

**Mailing List:** by emailing [drufaulk@att.net](mailto:drufaulk@att.net) and say please add.

**Invite:** Please invite all your friends to join and link them to updates from [www.flparentsagainstcommoncore.com](http://www.flparentsagainstcommoncore.com)

**Start a letter campaign to your local newspaper Editor under "Letters to the Editor" Opinion section.**  
Find your local editor at [http://www.flparentsagainstcommoncore.com/contact\\_info\\_for\\_your\\_local\\_editor](http://www.flparentsagainstcommoncore.com/contact_info_for_your_local_editor)  
Encourage other parents to get join you for a larger impact.

## EDUCATORS

Give your child's teacher and principal a formal letter explaining why you as a parent do not support common core standards. Educators are being told parents are misinformed when it is they who are being misled by the superintendents.

## SUMMARY

Stand up and protect your children from Common Core Standards. Share the CC facts with your friends, family, and the community. Get Creative and Stay Positive. Do not minimize the power we have if we ALL take action through these steps. Together we can stop this already since April there are 11 other states opting out.

## ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

FLORIDA PARENTS AGAINST COMMON CORE <http://www.flparentsagainstcommoncore.com/home>

FLORIDA STOP COMMON CORE COALITION <http://www.flstopccoalition.org/>

STOP CORE <http://stopcore.org/>

STOP COMMON CORE <http://stopcommoncore.com/current-news/>

CONSERVATIVE TEACHERS of AMERICA <http://conservativeteachersofamerica.com/>