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"Common core itself is not the problem. The politicization of the test is the problem i.e. teacher evaluations, unions, political parties taking sides etc. Our country has fallen behind other industrialized countries in education. We can not improve our education system if we don't evaluate it. Common core was developed by educators across the country, it's the most representative of our nation's education goals. It was not implemented well, it is not perfect, but it is something to work with... to get rid of it completely would not help us unify and improve the education standards across our country."