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I do not believe the common core standards are appropriate for "all" students. I also do not agree with the NYS Common Core tests in grades 3-8. I am against rating teachers based on these test scores. Teaching is much, much, much, more than how a student performs on standardized tests. It makes no sense to me, as a parent, how the education department can even think about counting these test scores as 50% of a teacher's ranking. It puts too much pressure on the teachers and the students. Let teachers teach the way they think is best for each individual student. I want my children to love school. Stop putting so much pressure on teachers and students.