

Alert Message from:

Virginia Education Coalition

Comprised of the following associations:

VA Congress of Parents and Teachers (VA PTA), VA Association of Elementary School Principals (VAESP), VA Association of Colleges for Teacher Education (VACTE), VA Association of School Superintendents (VASS), VA Association of Secondary School Principals (VASSP), VA Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development (VASCD), VA Counselors Association (VCA), VA Education Association (VEA), VA Professors of Education Leadership (VPEL), VA School Counselor Association (VSCA), VA School Boards Association (VSBA), VA Middle School Association (VMSA), VA Career And Technical Education (VACTE)

Messages for Public School Partners

Virginia's children are being robbed by budget cuts in Richmond

- The state budget cuts will steal from \$1.2 to \$1.8 Billion from our schools over two years
- If these cuts are made we will have cut \$2.1 billion (16.3%) from K-12 funding since March of 2008.
- These cuts will significantly damage the quality of our children's education
- Even short term cuts will have long term effects on our kids

These cuts will steal our children's future

- Layoffs of an estimated 30,000 school personnel
- Mushrooming class sizes
- Loss of critical programs that will affect students and working parents
- Less personal instruction for at risk kids
- Long term effects on our children.

Don't let it happen. Act now to stop this theft

- Contact your state Delegate and state Senator and Governor McDonnell.
- Tell them to stop robbing our children who have a constitutional right to a high quality education
- Tell them to Keep the Promise to our Children.
- Go to www.supportvirginiashools.com