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**To:** Kerkman, Samantha

**Subject:** Assembly Bill 119

Please vote against Assembly Bill 119, which makes kindergarten mandatory. Kindergarten should stay voluntary. Making it mandatory is a poor use of taxpayers' dollars. It does not deliver long-term benefits to students. It's a back doorway to lowering the age of compulsory school attendance.

Thank you,

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