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Oregon has severely lost its way on the educational front. Ranked DEAD LAST!

A series of national public school learning assessments released recently paint a bleak picture for Oregon, despite an 80% increase in funding since state test scores peaked in 2013.

A 30-state study conducted by researchers from Harvard and Stanford ranked Oregon dead last in post-Covid recovery. Why? It's because of bills like this. When will Oregon start focusing on basic skills again instead of liberal agendas? And this state wonders why there are so many children leaving the public school system? Because the public system refuses to teach and focus on the basic skills.

It's time we put less emphasis on the generosity of our input and more on the quality of the output we're getting in return. It's time to demand, "Show us the results!" NO ON HB 3365. Enough already!

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