

## Sample Constituent Call Script for Education Funding

Hi, my name is [NAME] and I'm a constituent from [CITY].

I'm calling to urge [REP/SENATOR NAME] to reject proposed state budget cuts to education for fiscal year 2018.

OPTIONAL: Share a personal story or reason why this matters to you. For example:

- -- I (or someone close to you) am a product of the public school system, and I think more effort should be spent on improving it, not abandoning it.
- -- It is important to me that my children (or young people close to you) have access to arts (or science, foreign language, etc.) education in their schools, and do not want to see those programs dismantled.
- --Cuts to education disproportionately affect our most vulnerable schools and students. Schools in lower-income areas lack the resources to compensate and are left shouldering an overwhelming share of the 'sacrifice'.

Thank you for your time and attention.

[IF LEAVING A VOICEMAIL: please leave your full name and street address to ensure your call is tallied]

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