

American Legion Auxiliary
New Mexico Girls State
2016 Bill/Resolution



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Bill No.: H18 Delegation: ALA NM Girls Sate 2016

Status: Failed in the House

Title of Bill: Decrease of Standardized Testing in Public Schools

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2 **Be It Enacted By The American Legion Auxiliary New Mexico Girls State 2016**

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4 **Section I. Body:** The state of New Mexico shall decrease the amount of
5 standardized testing in public schools per year. Each student shall be
6 limited to one standardized test within a two semester period. Some examples
7 of these tests include PARCC, EOC, and, SBA. The state shall choose one
8 standardized test to be implemented in schools in place of multiple tests.

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10 **Section II. Definitions:**
11 As used in "Decrease of Standardized Testing in Public Schools"
12 A. "standardized tests" consist of math, science, reading, and writing
13 sections that determine the progression of a student's learning in a two
14 semester period based off of the common core standards.
15 B. "PARCC" referring to Partnership for Assessment Readiness for College and
16 Careers is a test used across many states to pinpoint a students college and
17 career readiness.
18 C. "EOC" created to discover how much classroom teachers across the state
19 follow the common core standards.
20 D. "SBA" is a Standardized Based Assessment used by the state of New Mexico

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22 **Section III. Penalty:**
23 This Act will be monitored by the New Mexico Public Education Department.

Section IV. Repeal: All laws, acts, provisions, or parts of laws contained in
the Constitution of the State of New Mexico in conflict with any provision of
this act are hereby repealed.

Section V. Effective Date: This bill shall be put into effect within the next
beginning school year in all public schools.