



# Assemblyman Ed Ra's Education Plan

## **Dear Neighbor:**

*As the ranking minority member on the Assembly Education Committee, I am pleased to share our accomplishments from this year's legislative session and my priorities for the upcoming school year. Our fight to improve New York's education system and enact real reform is not over. I look forward to working with my colleagues to return local control to our teachers and parents and finally provide our students with the best possible education to help them gain the necessary skills to compete at a world-class level.*

*Sincerely,*

*Ed Ra*



# Assemblyman Ed Ra Putting Our Children First

## Accomplishments...

- ✓ Delivered \$1.1 billion in education funding
- ✓ Restored \$86.6 million in state library aid
- ✓ Passed legislation to restrict data mining of children's private information by a third party
- ✓ Held forums across the state to develop a proposal for comprehensive education reform

## Priorities for the 2014-15 School Year...

-  Fully restore the 2010 education cuts
-  2-year moratorium on Common Core curriculum and testing
-  Return local control to our schools
-  Reform the Board of Regents to ensure new perspectives and fresh voices for our education system
-  Encourage additional teacher input on curriculum development and increase transparency in state testing

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