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Adequate funding for public schools is one of the most critical issues the legislature controls. Oregon's economy depends on a skilled workforce that is academically and socially prepared to keep our economy strong, now and in future generations.

There is no doubt that all students need and deserve an education that meets their academic, physical and social needs, and the only way to ensure those needs are met is through adequate funding.

It is not just our young people who benefit. A robust public education system is good for all Oregonians. Education is shown to reduce crime, and good schools are shown to increase property values, proving that education is one of the best investments legislators can make in the future of their state.

Please appropriate critical funds to the State School Fund.

Thank you for your support of our students and Oregon.