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## A More Positive Message Is Just the First Step for GOP

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Jeb Bush calls for education standards "benchmarked to the best of the world" while simultaneously declaring that we need "a culture based on empowering parents with an abundance of choices." So which is it? Let parents truly choose, or make it a hollow choice by letting them select only one standard? Unfortunately, as a leading advocate of the "Common Core" national curriculum—pushed with federal dollars and coupled with federal tests—Mr. Bush has sided with the latter.

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