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Good Morning,

I am forwarding you a link to a recent news article which ponders whether South Carolina has the worst education system in the country as suggested by a national survey. In particular, I wanted to draw your attention to some of the comments in the article. As a state, we should not be arguing about whether South Carolina is worst – or just among the worst. In a race to the bottom, all are frontrunners. Let us focus our comments and attention on the fact that our education system is bad – really bad. We can and should be doing better. And, it starts with us as members of the S.C. General Assembly. I look forward to working with all of you as we approach the next legislative session in making our education system one of the best.

<http://www.thestate.com/news/local/article168312707.html>

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