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## Is the Use of Standardized Tests Improving Education in America?

Posted on [August 22, 2011](#) by [danwinters12](#)

This is a great collection of articles discussing this issue. This would make an excellent persuasive writing prompt for our upper grade students. Heck, this would be fun to do at a staff meeting.

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[mrsrobinjones](#) on [August 23, 2011 at 4:15 am](#) said:

I am introducing the topic of CA State Park closures. There are 70 CA State Parks closing and the students weren't too happy about it. They can relate to the topic and they can easily research it. Visit <http://my.calparks.org/site/PageServer?pagename=2011ParkClosures> for more information.

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on August 25, 2011 at 7:29 pm said:

That's a great idea, Robin. I'm sure you'll get some passionate opinions from your little friends.

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