

Lisa Cataldi

From: Lori Frey <lorifrey154@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, May 18, 2026 9:10 AM
To: House Education Committee
Subject: Fwd: H8531 OPPOSED

You don't often get email from lorifrey154@yahoo.com. [Learn why this is important](#)

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Lori Frey <lorifrey154@yahoo.com>
Date: May 18, 2026 at 9:03:46 AM EDT
To: houseeducation@rilegislater.gov
Subject: H8531 OPPOSED

My name is Lori and I am now 54 years old. I am grateful for my homeschooling experience because it gave me the opportunity to grow both academically and personally in a supportive environment. Being homeschooled allowed me to learn at my own pace, spend more time on subjects I enjoyed, and develop independence and self-discipline.

One of the greatest blessings of homeschooling was the flexibility it provided. I was able to explore my interests more deeply, build strong family relationships, and learn life skills alongside traditional education. Homeschooling also taught me how to manage my time, stay motivated, and take responsibility for my own learning.

Through homeschooling, I gained confidence in who I am and learned that education is not just about memorizing information, but about developing character, curiosity, and a love for learning. I appreciate the dedication and sacrifice that went into my education, and I believe homeschooling helped shape me into a more thoughtful, capable, and well-rounded person.

Sincerely,

Lori Frey

Sent from my iPhone