



TIPS FOR WRITING TO STATE LEGISLATORS ABOUT ADULT EDUCATION

When you write a letter to your state legislator about adult education, you should be sure to:

1. Tell your legislator that you are a resident of his or her district.
2. Tell your legislator that you are a registered voter (if you are).
3. Tell your legislator the name of the adult education center or program where you are a student.
4. Explain to your legislator why being in an adult education program is important to you and why it is important to other people in Massachusetts.
5. Tell your legislator what you plan to do next once you complete your program.
6. Explain to your legislator how long you had to wait to enroll in your program (if you did have to wait).
7. Ask your legislator to increase funding for adult basic education, so more adults like you can learn to read and write better, learn to speak English better, or study for their high school diploma.