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**Network for Public Education (NPE) Report: Ohio Near Last Place in the Nation in the State's Commitment to the Democratically-Governed Schools (The Common School System)**

The NPE analysis of a state's resistance to the privatization of public education puts Ohio third from the last among states and Washington, D.C.; only Florida and Arizona has a greater appetite for privatizing public education than Ohio.

Ohio is among 20 states that earned an "F" rating; hence, Ohio is in the worst of the worst category. Ohio is on the trajectory to achieve the last place in the future.

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