



# Dr. Lori Cooper



A **K**NOWLEDGEABLE, **E**THICAL candidate that will fight for you and **Y**OUR CHILDREN

## KNOWLEDGEABLE

- Former elementary and early childhood teacher
- Former administrator at Luzerne County Head Start
- Earned doctoral degree (Ed.D) in Education, Curriculum and Instruction
- Currently teaches principals, superintendents, curriculum directors, higher education professionals, and other educational leaders.
- Experienced with quality instruction, leadership development, relationship building, and research
- An advocate for the arts and educational best practices

## ETHICAL

- Not a lifetime resident of the Pittston area, so NO hidden agenda or reason to engage in nepotism
- Purely motivated to help students, families, and the community to improve
- Strives to help the community by improving the learning environment for students and educators in the district
- Seeks to practice what she teaches at Wilkes University - Educational Leadership
- Strong advocate for children

## For YOUR CHILDREN

*Plans to improve education by addressing the following concerns:*

- Challenges with lack of contracts for teachers and maintenance employees
- Issues with large class sizes
- S.A.T. Scores and other measures of accountability do not demonstrate growth
- Nepotism and dishonest practices are rampant
- Students and their success are not demonstrated priorities of the current board
- Grants are not being accessed to offset costs and help improve the learning environment and reduce class sizes



## Education is **KEY!**



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**E**thical



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