



OBJECTION TO INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

Part I:

Directions for filing an objection to instructional materials:

1. Complete the Objection to Instructional Materials form in its entirety. The form can be found on the school website or at the district website at brevardschools.org under Parents & Student and Community.
2. Submit the form to the Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction, Tara Harris via email at harris.tara@brevardschools.org, or by mail to 2700 Judge Fran Jamieson Way, Viera, FL 32940.
3. Upon receipt of the Objection to Instructional Materials form, the Assistant Superintendent shall notify schools with the identified titles to remove the books from circulation pending the outcome of the objection process.
4. The District Material Review Advisory Committee shall convene to review the objectionable materials.
5. The District Material Review Advisory Committee shall evaluate the material guided by F.S. 1006.28 and 1006.40 regarding prohibited content and make a recommendation to the Superintendent and within 2 student days following the process. The Superintendent or designee shall advise the requestor of the committee's recommendation that will be submitted to the Board for final decision making.

Part II:

Introduction

This form must be used by a parent or resident of this county, in conjunction with district policies and procedures, to submit an objection to the school board for the following material:

1. Materials used in a classroom in the district, except for instructional materials as defined in s. 1006.29(2), F.S. The process and forms to object to instructional materials can be found at brevardschools.org.
2. Materials made available to students in a school or classroom library.
3. Materials included on a school or classroom reading list.

Section 1: Parent or Resident Information

It is expected that the material in question has been read, viewed, or listened to in its entirety.

1. Objection initiated by: Parent/Guardian Brevard County Resident
2. Type of objection: Instructional Material/Resource Library/Media Resource
3. Type of Material: Book Video/DVD Adopted Instructional Material Other (specify)

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| Title: |
| Author(s): |
| Publisher/Producer: |
| Copyright date: |
| ISBN (if available): |
| Grade Level: |
| Course: |
| Where is the material found: <input type="checkbox"/> Media Center <input type="checkbox"/> Classroom Library <input type="checkbox"/> Reading List <input type="checkbox"/> Other |
| School(s) where found: |



4. Select the criteria that most represents your objection. F.S.1006.40(3) Material contains content which:
- Is pornographic or prohibited under § 847.012.
 - Depicts or describes sexual conduct as defined in s. 847.001(19)
 - Is not suited to student needs and their ability to comprehend the material presented.
 - Is inappropriate for the grade level and age group for which the material is used.

5. Did you examine the entire material? Yes No If not, what parts did you examine?

6. To what in the material do you object? (Please be specific -- cite pages, picture, film sequence, etc.)

7. Is there any age or grade in which you would recommend this material? Yes No
If yes, please specify: _____

8. Is there any value in this material?

9. What is your desired outcome for this material?

- Remove or discontinue use of material
- Limit access to certain grade levels: _____
- Limit my child's access
- Other: _____

Requestor's Contact Information

Requestor's Name: _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Requestor's Address: _____
(Street Address) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

Email Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Requestor's Signature

Date



As stated in F.S. 1006.28 for this objection you must: Be a parent/guardian of a Brevard Public School student or a resident of Brevard County Florida. For the purposes of this policy, "parent" means a parent/legal guardian of a student enrolled in the District's schools. "Resident" means a person residing in the county who has maintained their residence in Florida for the preceding year, has purchased a home that is occupied by them as a residence, or has established a domicile in Florida pursuant to F.S. 222.17.

Send Objection Form to: Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction, Tara Harris via email at harris.tara@brevardschools.org or by mail to 2700 Judge Fran Jamieson Way, Viera, FL 32940.

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Date Received: _____

Received by: _____

Verification of Parental/Guardian Status Yes No

Person Verifying: _____

Verification of Residency Yes No

Person Verifying: _____

Informal Conference Date: _____

Review Committee Date: _____