

RIVER VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Selection of Instructional Materials

The Board of Education shall provide instructional materials and equipment, to provide adequate instructional materials, texts, and library services, which reflect the cultural diversity and pluralistic nature of American society. within budgetary constraints, to implement the District's educational goals and objectives and to meet students' needs. The primary objective of such instructional materials and equipment shall be to enrich, support, and implement the educational program of the school. Instructional materials shall be selected so that students may develop, under guidance, the practice of critical analysis and their intellectual integrity.

Although the Board is legally responsible for the operation of the school and recognizes the students' right to free access to many different types of information, the responsibility for the selection of instructional materials is delegated to the appropriate staff and administration.

The River Valley School District does not discriminate on the basis of gender, race, national origin, sex, age, ancestry, religion, creed, color, class, pregnancy, marital or parental status, sexual orientation, disability or other protected status in the selection and evaluation of instructional and library materials or media or in its programs and activities and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. The following people have been designated to handle inquiries regarding non-discrimination policies: Brian Krey, Business Manager, 660 W. Daley, Street, Spring Green, WI 53588, 608-588-2551,bkrey@rvschools.org_and Lisa Kjos, Pupil Services Director, 660 Varsity Blvd., Spring Green, WI 53588, 608-588-2554, lkjos@rvschools.org. Discrimination complaints shall be processed in accordance with established procedures.

The Board shall review this policy and its implementing procedures periodically.

LEGAL REF.: Sections 118.13 Wisconsin Statutes

121.02(1)(h)

PI 8.01(2), Wisconsin Administrative Code

PI 9.03(1)

CROSS REF.: Policy #361-Rule - Selection Guidelines

Policy #362 - Library Media Center

Policy #771 - Printing and Duplicating Services (Use of Copyright Media)

Policy #871 - Handling Complaints About Instructional Materials

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