

The Board recognizes that there may be specific course materials which some parents/guardians find objectionable.

In the event a parent/guardian finds specific course material objectionable, the parent/guardian may notify the building principal of the specific material to which they object and request that the student receive instruction with alternative materials, sufficient to enable the child to meet state requirements for education in the particular subject area. This notification and request shall be in writing.

The building principal and the parent must mutually agree to the alternative instruction. The instruction with alternative materials agreed upon must meet state minimum standards.

Only upon mutual agreement, school district staff will make reasonable efforts, within the scope of existing time, schedules, resources and other duties, to accommodate instruction with alternative materials for the student. Alternative instruction may be provided by the school, through approved independent study, or through other methods agreed to by the parent/guardian and the building principal. Any cost associated with the alternative materials and/or instruction shall be borne by the parent/guardian.

Nothing in this policy shall be construed as giving parents/guardians the right to appeal to the Superintendent and/or school board.

Parents who wish for particular instructional material be reviewed for appropriateness may submit a request for review in accordance with Board Policy KEC.