

# LIBRARY MEDIA MATERIALS POLICY AND PROCEDURES FOR CHALLENGED MATERIALS

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# LIBRARY MEDIA MATERIALS - POLICY AND PROCEDURES FOR CHALLENGES

- Current challenged books
- [School Committee policies](#)
  - Library Materials Selection and Adoption IJL (page 4)
  - Reconsideration of Instructional Resources IJ-R (page 3)

*When a problem concerning instructional resources in a school arises, the disposition of the problem will be made in a reasonable period of time using **District adopted procedures**.*
- Procedures for the Reconsideration of Library Media Materials – ALA Policies and Procedures Tool Kit

# PROCEDURES FOR RECONSIDERATION OF LIBRARY MEDIA MATERIALS

- Written challenge from the person challenging the materials
- Convening of a Reconsideration Committee
- The Reconsideration Committee read the three books (in context)
- Professional review sources (also used in the materials selection process)
- The Reconsideration Committee made its recommendation to the Assistant Superintendent of Teaching and Learning

# NEXT STEPS

- The Assistant Superintendent of Teaching and Learning reviews the work and recommendation of the Reconsideration Committee and makes a final decision
- The person who made the challenge will be notified of the decision by the Assistant Superintendent of Teaching and Learning
- Review of the School Committee policies to consider updating
- Review of procedures for Reconsideration of Materials