# Echo School District 5R

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## **Instructional Resources/Instructional Materials**

The Board believes that proper care and judgment should be exercised in selecting basic instructional materials for student use. While the Board retains the authority to approve district instructional materials adoptions, it authorizes the superintendent to develop and implement administrative procedures governing how selections are determined. Such procedures will provide for staff and parent involvement and employ suitable selection criteria to ensure that the recommended instructional materials:

- 1. Display fairness in their portrayal of people;
- 2. Contain appropriate readability levels;
- 3. Show consistency with the district's adopted curriculum content;
- 4. Provide for ease of teacher use;
- 5. Are attractive and durable;
- 6. Can be purchased at reasonable cost;
- 7. Do not discriminate on the basis of race, national origin, religion, sex, sexual orientation, age, disability or marital status.

To be in compliance with the requirements of federal law, the Board directs the superintendent to distribute curriculum materials and instructional supplies to district schools in such a manner that ensures all schools receive equivalent materials.

## **END OF POLICY**

### Legal Reference(s):

ORS 336.035	ORS 339.155	OAR 581-021-0046
ORS 337.120		OAR 581-022-1140
ORS 337.141	OAR 581-011-0050 to -0117	OAR 581-022-1520
ORS 337.150	OAR 581-021-0045	OAR 581-022-1640
ORS 337.260		

No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, 20 U.S.C. §§ 6311-6322 (2006).

#### Cross Reference(s):

IIAB - Supplementary Materials Selection/Purchase INB - Teaching About Controversial Issues

KH - Public Gifts to the Schools

KL - Public Complaints