

Book Policy Manual

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## 2520 - SELECTION OF INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS, LIBRARY CURRICULAR MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

The School Board shall provide instructional curricular materials and equipment, within budgetary constraints, to implement the **School** Corporation's educational goals and objectives and to meet students' needs. The primary objective of such instructional curricular materials and equipment shall be to enrich, support, and implement the educational program of the school.

The Superintendent shall develop administrative guidelines for the selection and maintenance of all educational and instructional materials and equipment and provide for the assessment of student fees. establish a procedure for each school to prepare a catalogue of materials available in the media center. The catalogue shall be published on the website of each school. A hard copy of the catalogue shall be made available on request.

The School Corporation shall not make available within the media center any materials that contain: (1) obscene matter (as described in I.C. 35-49-2-1); or (2) matter harmful to minors (as described in I.C. 35-49-2-2). The procedure for a parent of a student enrolled in the school or a community member residing within the Corporation is to submit a request to remove material that is obscene or harmful to minors is included in Policy 9130-Public Complaints and Concerns (Subsection Matters Regarding Library Materials), including the process for response and appeal.

The Superintendent shall develop administrative guidelines for the selection and maintenance of all educational and instructional curricular materials and equipment and provide the assessment of student fees for lost or significantly damaged curricular materials.

A student or his/her parents shall be held responsible for the cost of replacing any materials or properties which are lost or damaged through their negligence.

Cost of materials may be charged for materials used in those activities beyond the basic curriculum in which a student elects to participate, particularly in activities where the product becomes the property of the student.

Students who use school owned musical instruments may be charged a rental fee.

Cross Reference
Policy 9130-Public Complaints and Concerns

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