



School District of Manatee County Library and Instructional Material Objection Form

Part I:

Parents and residents of the county may object to the use of a specific instructional material in the classroom, made available in a school library, or included on a reading list based on the criteria set forth in F.S. 1006.28(2)(a)2. or F.S. 1014.05(1)(c). If requesting a formal school-level objection, this form must be submitted following the district policies and procedures in School Board policy 2520 and the SDMC Library Media and Instructional Material Objection Procedure. Effective 7/1/24, a resident of the county who is not the parent or guardian of a student with access to school district materials may not object to more than one material per month.

To submit via email, send completed form to:

mediareview@manateeschools.net

To submit via postal mail, send completed form to:

School District of Manatee County
Professional Support Center
Attn: Library Media
2501 63rd Ave E
Bradenton, Florida 34203

Introduction

This form must be used by a parent or resident of this county, in conjunction with district policies and procedures, to submit an objection to the school board for the following material:

1. Materials used in a classroom in the district, except for instructional materials as defined in s. 1006.29(2), F.S. The process and forms to object to instructional materials can be found at: <https://www.manateeschools.net/Page/11583>
2. Materials made available to students in a school or classroom library.
3. Materials included on a school or classroom reading list.
4. Instructional Materials adopted and made available to students without the opportunity for public notice, review and hearing procedures by districts that implement their own instructional materials program under s. 1006.283, F.S.

Section 1: Parent or Resident Information

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1. I am a parent or guardian of a district or homeschool student who has access to school district materials described in Part II of this form. Yes No (If yes, skip question 2)
2. I am a resident of this county and
 I have not submitted an objection to any other materials described in Part II of this form during this calendar month. (Both boxes under question 2 must be checked to submit an objection as a resident.)

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

County _____ Email _____

Phone Number _____

Section 2: Information Regarding Material

Type of material: Book Non-print material Other (identify): _____

Title of the material: _____

Author(s): _____ Publisher or Producer: _____

Copyright Date: _____ Grade Level used: _____

Where is the material found: Media Center Classroom Library Reading List Other: _____

School(s) where material is found: _____

ISBN, if available: _____

Section 3: Basis for the Objection

Identify the basis for your objection:

- The material is pornographic.
- The material is prohibited under Section 847.012, F.S.
- The material depicts or describes sexual conduct as defined in Section 847.001(19), F.S.

4. Is there any age or grade you would recommend this material? Yes No

If yes, please specify: _____

5. Is there any value in this material?

6. What is your desired outcome for this material?

- Remove or discontinue use of material.
- Limit access to certain grade levels: _____
- Limit my child's access.
- Other: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____