



INSTRUCTION

POLICY 6002

Selection of Instruction Materials - Philosophy

Instructional materials should serve to extend the knowledge and understanding provided by the curriculum. The process of selecting materials is very complex and demanding and has as its major consideration each item's contribution toward the achievement of educational objectives for students.

Selection requires the establishment of standards of quality and of criteria for fulfilling the needs of the program. It also requires that diverse and representative points of view from educators, the public, and students should be considered. Input from a variety of sources is essential for making balanced judgments. Educators then have the responsibility for selecting those materials which are necessary and appropriate to teach accurately the skills, facts, and concepts which comprise the educational program of students.

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