

## **TEACHING ABOUT CONTROVERSIAL/SENSITIVE ISSUES**

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Purpose: To establish the board's vision for teaching about controversial/sensitive issues in district schools.

Before introducing a controversial topic, a teacher will discuss it with the principal as to these conditions.

- appropriateness to the course
- appropriateness for the maturity of the students
- approach to instruction
- teaching materials to be used

The principal must approve all aspects of the instruction in line with the statements in this policy.

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