

Robertson County Schools

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Request for Reconsideration of Instructional Materials

Robertson County Schools has delegated the responsibility for selection and evaluation of library/educational resources to the school library professional staff/curriculum committee and has established reconsideration procedures to address concerns about those resources. Completion of this form is the first step in those procedures. If you wish to request reconsideration of school or library resources, please return the completed form to the librarian or principal.

Name: _____ Date: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Do you represent yourself or an organization? _____
Please list the name of the organization if applicable.

Information about the Materials

What type of material is it?

<input type="checkbox"/> Book/e-book	<input type="checkbox"/> Movie	<input type="checkbox"/> Magazine	<input type="checkbox"/> Database
<input type="checkbox"/> Audio Recording	<input type="checkbox"/> Digital Resource	<input type="checkbox"/> Textbook	<input type="checkbox"/> App
<input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper	<input type="checkbox"/> Game	<input type="checkbox"/> Streaming Media	<input type="checkbox"/> Other

Where was this resource found or used? (circle one): Classroom Library Other

Title: _____

Author /
Producers _____

Publisher
(if known) _____

Publication
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Please provide us more background on your experience with this material.

1 Have you examined the entire resource? Yes No

If not, what sections did you review?

2 Have you been able to discuss this work with the teacher/librarian who provided it or who used it in the classroom? Yes No

3 Do you understand the general purpose for using this work? Yes No

4 Does the material provide support for a unit in the curriculum? Yes No

5 Does the material provide a learning experience for the reader in one kind of literature? Yes No

6 Did the general purpose of the use of the work, as described by the teacher or librarian, seem suitable to you? Yes No

If not, please explain:

7 What do *you* think is the general purpose of the author in this book/material?

8 In what ways, specifically, do you think this item is unsuitable? Please list specific pages if possible.

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| 9 | Have you been able to learn what is the students' response to this work? | Yes | No |
| 10 | What response did the students have?
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| 11 | Have you been able to learn from your school library what book reviewers or other students of literature have written about this work? | Yes | No |
| 12 | Would you like the teacher or librarian to give you a written summary of what book reviewers and other professionals have written about this item? | Yes | No |
| 13 | Do you have negative reviews of the book?

If so, where are those negative reviews published?
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| 14 | Would you be willing to provide a summary of the reviews you have collected? | Yes | No |
| 15 | Are there resource(s) you suggest providing additional information and/or other viewpoints on this topic?
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Please help us understand your expectations.

16 What action are you requesting the committee consider?

17 In its place, what work would you recommend that would convey as valuable a picture and perspective of the subject treated?

Signature

Date