

Descriptor Term: INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

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The Board of Trustees is legally responsible for the selection of instructional materials.

It will be the responsibility of the professional personnel and the Superintendent to recommend instructional and library materials that

1. will enrich and support the curriculum, taking into consideration the varied Interests, abilities and maturity levels of the pupils;
2. will stimulate growth in factual knowledge, literary appreciation, aesthetic values and ethical standards;
3. will bring forth opposing sides of controversial issues so that young citizens may develop, under guidance, the practice of analytical reading and thinking;
4. will represent the many religions and ethnic and cultural groups, showing their contributions to our American heritage.

Legal Reference: Mississippi Code 1972, 37-43-31