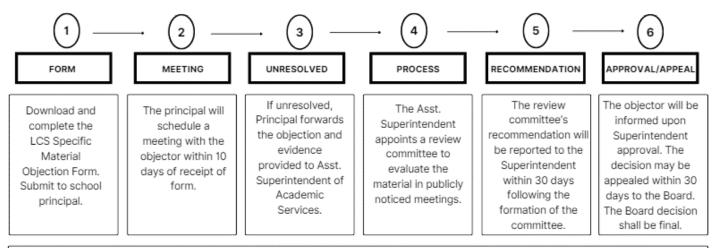


LCS Specific Material Objection Form

Part I: Leon County Schools <u>Policy 2522.01</u>: Challenges to Adoption or Use of Instructional, Library, or Reading List Materials.

Parents and residents of Leon 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). The objection process is as follows:



Per F.S.1006.28(2)(a)6, if a parent disagrees with the determination made by the Board, they may request the Commissioner of Education to appoint a special magistrate to review the decision and make a recommendation to the State Board of Education.

Parents and residents shall object to the use of a specific material by completing the Specific Material Objection Form for the following types of materials: 1). Materials used in a classroom in the district; 2). Materials made available to students in a school or classroom library; and 3). Materials included on a school or classroom reading list.

Any material that is subject to an objection on the basis that it is pornographic or prohibited under F.S. 847.012 or depicts or describes sexual conduct as defined in F.S. 847.001(19) (unless such material is for a course required by F.S. 1003.46, F.S. 1003.42(2)(n)1.g., F.S. 1003.42(2)(n)3., or identified by State Board of Education rule) must be removed within five (5) school days of receipt of the objection and remain unavailable to students of that school until the objection is resolved.

All sections of the form must be completed for the process to move forward. Incomplete forms will be returned to the objector for completion.

SUNSHINE LAW AND PUBLIC RECORDS CAUTION: Please note that Florida has a very broad Public Records Law. Virtually all written communications to or from the School Board of Leon County, Florida personnel, including this form, are public records available to the public and media upon request. By signing and/or submitting this form to the Leon County School District, you acknowledge and agree that all information which you include on the form is subject to disclosure by the District.

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Part II:

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 <u>s. 1006.29(2)</u>, <u>F.S.</u> The process and forms to object to instructional materials can be found *<insert district Weblink here>*.
- 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. (Districts that do not implement their own instructional materials program under s. 1006.283, F.S., must remove item 4.)

Section 1: Parent or Resident Information

Check the box that applies to you. Che	ck all that apply.	
\square Parent/guardian of a student \square R	esident of this county	
First Name	Last Name	
Address		
City	State	Zip Code
County		
Phone Number		
Section 2: Information Regarding Mat	erial	
Type of material: ☐ Book ☐Non-print	material \square Other (identify)	:
Title of the material:		
Author(s):	Publisher or Producer: _	
Copyright Date: Grade	Level used:	-
Where is the material found: ☐ Media	a Center □ Classroom Lihra	ry □ Reading List □ Other:

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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.
\Box The material is not suited to student needs and their ability to comprehend the material.
☐ The material is inappropriate for the grade level and age group for which it is used.
Section 4: Objection Specific Information
1. What brought this material to your attention?
2. Did you examine this material in its entirety? \square Yes \square No
If not, what sections did you examine?
3. Identify the portion of the material objected to and why. (You must be specific and provide page numbers,
3. Identify the portion of the material objected to and why. (You must be specific and provide page numbers, sections, or timestamps, as appropriate. You may attach additional information that does not fit within this
form.)

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4. Is there any age or grade you would recommend this material? \square Yes \square 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: _____

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