

Human Sexuality Instruction General Notification

Pursuant to Montana Senate Bill 99 (MCA §20-5-103; §20-7-120), which relates to human sexuality instruction (“HSI”), **a parent or guardian may withdraw a child from instruction (class), or a presentation (assembly/function) that includes HSI. Such withdrawal is considered an excused absence; however, teachers may assign alternate work.**

“Human sexuality instruction” means teaching, or otherwise providing, information about human sexuality, including intimate relationships, human sexual anatomy, sexual reproduction, sexually transmitted infections, sexual acts, sexual orientation, gender identity, abstinence, contraception, or reproductive rights and responsibilities.

Hamilton School District will notify parents/guardians when students are scheduled to be enrolled in and/or scheduled to receive human sexuality instruction. Please contact your student’s teacher should you wish to withdraw your student from HSI.

Hamilton School District makes all HSI curriculum available for public inspection prior to its use in instruction. If you would like to inspect HSI curriculum, please contact your student’s teacher, or the building principal:

Washington Early Learning Center	(406)363-2144
Daly Elementary	(406)363-2122
Hamilton Middle School	(406)363-2121
Hamilton High School	(406)375-6060

For more information, the full text of SB 99 can be found at:

<https://leg.mt.gov/bills/2021/BillPdf/SB0099.pdf>