

Code No. 605.5 SCHOOL LIBRARY

The school district will maintain separate school libraries for primary grades and secondary grades for use by employees and by students during the school day.

Materials for the libraries will be acquired according to board policy, "Instructional Materials Selection."

It is the responsibility of the grade level principal of the building in which the library is located to oversee the use of materials in the library.

It is the responsibility of the superintendent, with the assistance of the media specialist, to develop procedures for the selection and replacement of both library and instructional materials, for the acceptance of gifts, for the weeding of library and instructional materials, and for the handling of challenges to either library or classroom materials.

Note: This a mandatory policy and reflects the educational standards. For more detailed discussion of this issue, see IASB's Policy Primer, Vol. 20 #1-August 31, 2007.

Legal Reference:

Iowa Code §§ 256.7(24) ;279.8 ;280.14 ; 301 (2009).
281 I.A.C. 12.3(11), (12) .

Cross Reference:

602 Curriculum Development
605 Instructional Materials

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