

PANORAMA COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS SELECTION

The board has sole discretion to approve instructional materials for the school district. This authority is delegated to certified personnel to determine which instructional materials, other than textbooks, will be utilized by and purchased by the school district.

In reviewing current instructional materials for continued use and in selecting additional instructional materials, certified personnel shall consider the current and future needs of the school district as well as the changes and the trends in education and society. It shall be the responsibility of the superintendent to report to the board the action taken by certified personnel.

In the case of textbooks, the board shall make the final decision after receiving a recommendation from the superintendent. The criteria for selection of other instructional materials shall apply to the selection of textbooks. The superintendent may develop another means for the selection of textbooks.

Educational materials given to the school district must meet the criteria for selection of instructional materials. The gift must be received in compliance with board policy, "Gifts - Grants - Bequests."

Legal Reference: Iowa Code §§279.8, 280.3, .14, 301 (1989).
670 Iowa Admin. Code 3.5(20), .5(21).
281 Iowa Admin. Code 12.5(22)
(new standards).

Cross Reference: Student Scholastic Achievement
Curriculum Development
Instructional Materials

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