



## DISTRICT PRACTICE 8000

### SELECTION OF LIBRARY RESOURCES

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#### **DISTRICT PRACTICE:**

1. It is the practice in School District No. 6 (Rocky Mountain) “School District” to provide a range of library resources to support individual student learning needs and to foster an interest and a love of reading. Materials will have diversity of appeal, varying levels of complexity, and an inclusive worldview.
2. Professional staff shall make selections based on their own knowledge and experience with literature as well as a critical review of materials. In addition, staff will utilize a professional library database to determine the appropriateness of content.
3. Selected materials having a mature rating (i.e. age 16+) shall be available in libraries upon request. Students who are under the recommended age for a book shall be advised of the rating and alternate materials shall be suggested. Any student in this situation still wishing to sign out a book with a mature rating shall be provided with a parental permission form (see [form 8000.1](#)).
4. A parent/guardian wishing to request the reconsideration of a library resource may meet with staff responsible for the library and voice the concern. If the matter is not resolved informally, then the reconsideration of a library resource form (see [form 8000.2](#)) may be completed and submitted to the principal. The principal will attempt to resolve the matter with the parent and the staff member responsible. If the matter remains unresolved, the formal reconsideration process outlined in policy and district practice 8100 shall be followed.

FORM 8000.1 [LIBRARY RESOURCES](#)

FORM 8000.2 [LIBRARY RESOURCES](#)

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