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To: Ethnic Studies

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Ethnic Studies Model Curriculum Needs to Include Jewish Americans

To whom it may concern:

The new Ethnic Studies Model Curriculum needs to address and expand to include the following missing subjects:

1. Lesson plan on Jewish Americans in all their diversity of origins, including but not exclusive to Jews of Color

2. An accurate definition of Anti-Semitism

3. Illustrations of Anti-Semitism including Anti-Israel Movements that include Anti-Semitic tropes and sentiments, Holocaust Denial, vandalism, outright violence, and the growth of Anti-Semitism in the US (Charlottesville, Tree of Life Synagogue, Chabad of Poway, etc.)

There needs to be <u>transparency</u> regarding the development of the Ethnic Studies Model Curriculum which gives all affected by its adoption ample <u>opportunity to publicly comment before the curriculum is adopted.</u>

Thank you for your attention and consideration of these important subjects.

Sincerely, Allyn Charney (San Diego, CA)