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Thank you for your attention. Thanks for remaining openminded. I urge all policymakers and curriculum writers to visit the beautiful country of Israel to truly understand how all the worlds religions do coexist there.

Thank you,
Andrea Oppenheimer
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		I urge the state of California to add lessons about American Jews as an ethnic group, including those who fled the Holocaust, oppression in the Middle East, and discrimination in the former Soviet Union. All came to the USA and California for a better life of freedom of speech, freedom of religion, and the American dream. BDS promotes hate, anti-Semitism, and bigotry which have no place in American society, although we are riddled with it right now. California has been a model of public education for decades, let's not succumb to the small-mindedness of a few. Let's

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		continue to raise young Californians as models of peace, freedom, inclusion, and respect.

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