

From: [email redacted]

Sent: Wednesday, January 20, 2021 10:07 PM

To: Ethnic Studies

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Objection to Proposal of CA Ethnic Studies Curriculum

Hello,

We are writing to you to Express our discontent with the new proposed California Ethnic Studies Curriculum. As educators, we would expect you to be the first to understand the importance of education in general, and the education of tolerance in particular. Our great country is going through a difficult period in history, one marked with separation which is fueled by misinformation and lack of education. Your review of the ethnic studies curriculum is appreciated and needed. We do, however, disagree with the new proposal. The currently proposed California Ethnic Studies Curriculum surprisingly includes language depicting the Jewish people as privileged, non-white and other misinformation that is anti-semitic. This should not be approved. It will not be accepted. In an effort to educate our students to become tolerant adults and unified Americans, this proposal should not be accepted.

We appreciate your time and support.

Sincerely,

Vardit Ozeri