From: Ashley Fox

Sent: Wednesday, November 11, 2020 10:26 PM

To: Ethnic Studies < Ethnic Studies @cde.ca.gov>; [email redacted]; Superintendent

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Requesting Change to American Culture Requirement

To Whom it May Concern,

I am demanding that the Arab American studies be incorporated into the CORE curriculums of ethnic studies rather than being cast aside as inferior. As a student who has taken multiple history classes in the United States for 11 years I have never learned about Arab American studies. This is unacceptable and I demand that this changes for the well-being of the education system in California.

The fact that this is up for debate is unacceptable, rude, and ignorant. It says a lot about our California Board of education.

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