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Subject: [EXTERNAL] IQC, INCLUDE ARAB AMERICAN STUDIES IN CA ETHNIC STUDIES CURRICULUM!

I support including Arab American studies within the rubric of Asian American studies.

In the post-9/11 era, exacerbated by Trump's Muslim ban, Arab American students are desperately in need of curriculum that reflects their histories and current realities. It is critical for my children's friends to better understand the culture and history of their friends.

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