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Dear committee,

I was shocked to read that my three kids who are all part of the Los Gatos CA school district might end up taking a class that mixes important topics with political agenda against the state of Israel.

As a proud American-Israeli I find the proposed curriculum (which I hope will never get approved) to not only be politically driven but also insulting.

I strongly request that the items listed in red will be excluded from the class or I will have to reconsider the future of my kids education outside of the system that permits mixing politics and academic studies .

4949	• Race and the Arab-American Experience
4950	• The history of Anti-Arab Immigration Policies
4951	• The Muslim Ban Executive Order 13769
4952	• Terrorism Against Arabs: Arab American and Civil Liberties post-9/11
4953	• Orientalism and Arab Representations in the Media
4954	• Arab and Muslim Women in the United States
4955	• Anti-Arab and Muslim Violence
4956	• <u>Direct Action Front for Palestine and Black Lives Matter</u>
4957	• <u>Call to Boycott, Divest, and Sanction Israel</u>
4958	• <u>Comparative Border Studies: Palestine and Mexico</u>
4959	Potential Significant Figures to Cover (this list is in no way exhaustive):

Thanks you for reading.

Regards,  
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CEO