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To: Ethnic Studies
Subject: [EXTERNAL] Anti-semitic curricula

To Whom It May Concern, I am writing to protest the Ethnic Studies Model Curriculum Draft currently being adopted by California school boards. To quote the California Legislative Jewish Caucus, I "cannot support a curriculum that erases the American Jewish experience, fails to discuss anti-Semitism, reinforces negative stereotypes about Jews, singles out Israel for criticism and would institutionalize the teaching of anti-Semitic and anti-Israel statements, in our public schools."

Does your curriculum include the following? Why not? Without him, Washington loses the war of Independence!

*Haym Salomon. Philadelphia, U.S. Prime **financier***

Haym Salomon was a businessman and political financial broker who immigrated to New York City from Poland during the period of the American Revolution. He helped convert the French loans into ready cash by selling bills of exchange for Robert Morris, the Superintendent of Finance. [Wikipedia](#)

***Born:** April 7, 1740, [Leszno, Poland](#)*

***Died:** January 6, 1785, [Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, United States](#)*

***Known for:** Prime financier during the [American Revolutionary War](#)*

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