

CLARK COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT POLICY

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CONTROVERSIAL ISSUES

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I. ~~The Clark County School District recognizes that the fullest implementation of the System for Quality Schools may necessitate the classroom consideration of controversial issues~~ A "controversial issue" is defined as a topic or subject that elicits strong opinions, that society may be in the process of debating, and for which more than one viewpoint may be offered and supported by an individual or group of people.

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II. ~~Regulations shall be developed to provide the necessary guidelines to systematically handle controversial issues~~ The Clark County School District (District) recognizes that the fullest implementation of the curriculum may necessitate instructional consideration for controversial issues.

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III. The District believes that objective consideration of such controversial issues, as they arise in the classroom, are the responsibility of public schools. The District shall provide for objective study of controversial issues in a classroom.

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