

1 ENGROSSED HOUSE  
2 BILL NO. 2078

By: Caldwell (Chad) of the  
House

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4 Rader of the Senate  
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8 An Act relating to schools; amending 70 O.S. 2021,  
9 Section 11-106.1, which relates to inspection of  
10 instructional material; requiring all material  
11 purchased or made available on school property to be  
12 subject to inspection; modifying who may inspect the  
13 material; providing for material which is protected  
14 by copyright law; directing inspection on school  
15 property; authorizing limitation of inspection to  
16 comply with copyright laws; modifying definition of  
17 instructional material; defining professional  
18 development material; providing an effective date;  
19 and declaring an emergency.

20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

21 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 70 O.S. 2021, Section 11-106.1, is  
22 amended to read as follows:

23 Section 11-106.1 A. All material purchased by a public school  
24 or made available on school property, including professional  
development material and instructional material, including but not  
limited to teacher manuals, films, tapes, or other supplementary  
instructional material in any format, ~~used by a public school as~~

1 ~~part of the educational curriculum,~~ shall be available for  
2 inspection by the parents or guardians of students enrolled in the  
3 school, members of the board of education of the school district,  
4 members of the State Board of Education, employees of the State  
5 Department of Education, and legislators.

6 B. Each school district shall develop and adopt policies  
7 pertaining to the inspection of professional development material  
8 and instructional materials in consultation with parents and  
9 guardians material. The policies shall include procedures for  
10 granting a request ~~by a parent or guardian~~ for reasonable access to  
11 professional development material and instructional material within  
12 a reasonable period of time five (5) working days after the request  
13 is received. If the professional development material or  
14 instructional material being requested is protected by copyright  
15 law, the school district shall provide reasonable access for the  
16 material to be inspected on school property. The school district  
17 may limit unauthorized duplication or dissemination of the material  
18 in compliance with applicable copyright laws.

19 C. For the purposes of this section, "instructional:

20 1. "Instructional material" means instructional content that is  
21 provided to a student, regardless of the format, including printed  
22 or representational materials, library materials, audio-visual  
23 materials, and materials in electronic or digital formats; and  
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1        2. "Professional development material" means tools, resources,  
2 and training sessions, regardless of format, for school personnel to  
3 improve their teaching quality, effectiveness, and teambuilding.

4        SECTION 2. This act shall become effective July 1, 2023.

5        SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation  
6 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby  
7 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and  
8 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

9        Passed the House of Representatives the 22nd day of March, 2023.

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Presiding Officer of the House  
of Representatives

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Passed the Senate the \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

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