

# Hancock County Board of Education

Monitoring: <b>Review: Annually, in November</b>	Descriptor Term: <b>Basic Program</b>	Descriptor Code: <b>4.201</b>	Issued Date: <b>06/04/15</b>
		Rescinds:	Issued:

1 The Board shall not discriminate on the basis of sex, race, national origin, creed, age, or marital status  
2 in its educational programs or activities.

3 Educational materials that are utilized shall reflect the cultural and racial diversity which is present in  
4 the United States as well as the variety of careers, roles and life-styles open to women and men. One of  
5 the objectives of the total curriculum and teaching strategies is to reduce stereotyping and to eliminate  
6 bias on the basis of sex, race, ethnicity, religion and disability. The curriculum shall foster respect and  
7 appreciation of the cultural diversity found in our country and an awareness of the rights, duties and  
8 responsibilities of each individual as a member of a pluralistic society.<sup>1</sup>

9 The course of study shall include those subjects and topics required by state and federal laws and  
10 regulations.<sup>2</sup>

11 The Board reserves the right to add additional courses and to amend the content of prescribed courses  
12 as needed.

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## Legal References

1. 42 U.S.C. 12101; 34 CFR § 106.34
2. TCA 49-6-1001 through 49-6-1205; TCA 49-6-1301

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## Cross References

- Student Goals 6.100  
Complaints and Grievances 6.305