

Middle School Novel Reconsideration Form

If a parent has an objection to materials they may request for reconsideration.

1. The parent will be informed to the selection procedures
2. The parent will be asked to submit a formal request for reconsideration form
3. The teacher and principal will be informed.
4. Challenged materials will be used during the reconsideration process.
5. The teacher will forward the parent's written request to the Principal within 5 days of receiving the Reconsideration Form. A teacher rubric approved opt-out novel will be presented to the parent from the arranged back up list.

Request for Reconsideration of Novels (1B)

School \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Title \_\_\_\_\_

Author \_\_\_\_\_

Publisher \_\_\_\_\_

Copyright Date \_\_\_\_\_

Person Requesting  
Reconsideration \_\_\_\_\_

Child \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone  
Number \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher using material \_\_\_\_\_

For which class \_\_\_\_\_

Did you discuss this book with the teacher who ordered/used it? \_\_\_\_\_

Before completing this form, you must read the work in its entirety.

1. Have you read the material in its entirety?    yes    no

2. What concerns do you have with the use of this book in the classroom?

3. Is there anything worthwhile in this material? Any redeeming qualities? If so what?

a. Have you become familiar with any judgments or reviews of this material by literary critics? Yes No

b. If yes, please list the sources of the reviews and the names of the critic.

4. What would you like the school to do about this work?

\_\_\_\_\_ Do not assign to my child

\_\_\_\_\_ Other-please explain

Signature of Parent who submitted

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Reviewed by Teacher

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Reviewed by Principal

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_