

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA

Request for School Reconsideration of Media Materials/Instructional Materials

Instructions: Complete and return this form with all materials to be reviewed within 5 school days. Requests not meeting this criteria will receive no further consideration. Please type or print. (FS 847.12) Any media or instructional materials that are not Board adopted. For Board adopted materials refer to School Board Policy

2220.e School Pine Grove Elementary Date 5-9-23

Materials for Reconsideration

Title Is he a Girl?
Author Louis Sachar Publisher Random House
Type of Material Book
(Be specific: book, video, etc.)

Initiator of Reconsideration Request

Name of Complainant Mary Marzucco Phone [REDACTED]
Address [REDACTED]
City, State [REDACTED]

Explanation of Reconsideration Request

1.e Did you read, view or listen to the entire material? ☒ Yes ☐ No

2.e To what in the material do you object? (Please be specific by citing pages or sections.)
Pgs: 1, 26, 29, 31, 33, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 42, 46, 47,
55, 59, 68

3.e Have you read reviews of this material? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, where? _____
(Name and Date of Publication)

Additional comments: See Back of Page for all
Comments

Complainant's Signature Mary Marzucco Date 5-9-23

Book Challenge: Is he a Girl?

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Additional comments:

I am sighting this book for **"GENDER IDENTITY"**, as it violates Florida State Law,
Parental Rights Bill HB 1557

This writer causes doubt in, **"THE SELF"***, of this boy's subconscious. Which now causes the young reader to start questioning their own identity. The writer creates the false narrative that somehow being a boy is a bad thing and being a girl is the right or good thing.

Marvin starts to question everything about himself: his voice, his clothes, his hair, his decisions based on gender identity versus, "The self".

I have listed the pages, copied & highlighted where the writer has created the false narrative that your intelligence and compassion can only exist if you are a female.

This is wrong as it emasculates any child that may be experiencing doubt in themselves. By page 55, Marvin believes he is a girl. By the end of the book, he realizes that he is a boy. Hopefully, you see the seed of doubt has been planted.

This is all subliminal messaging to cause doubt, this is part and parcel of the "Woke Agenda" also know as cancel culture, gaslighting, totalitarianism.

*In Philosophy, the self is an individual's own reflective consciousness.

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Submitted


Mary Mazzuco

Date 5-9-2023