



Supplement to: EDUCATION POLICY & PLANNING COMMITTEE

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Item:	Requiring Action	Yes	No	For Information
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Subject: Update on Sexual Orientation Gender Identity (SOGI) Initiatives

Background:

SOGI is an inclusive term that represents all individuals regardless of sexual orientation or gender identity. It includes lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, two-spirit, heterosexual and cisgender. Studies show that having SOGI-specific anti-bullying policies improves the school climate for LGBTQ and heterosexual students, reducing discrimination, suicidal ideation and suicide attempts for all students.

BC's new curriculum includes a focus on valuing diversity and respecting differences, and the topics of human rights and responses to discrimination. School District No. 40 (New Westminister) has been actively engaged in promoting the goals of SOGI through the 2017-2018 school year.

Year-End Report

Each school has identified one or two SOGI leads and in March 2018, a 0.2 District SOGI lead was appointed. The sc



School District No. 40 (New Westminister)

How to access Media Services & request materials online:

- x go to destiny.sd40.bc.ca
- x FOLFN RQ 30HGLD 6HUYLFHV´ DV D VLWH ORFDWLRQ
- x FOLFN RQ WKH 3&DWDORJ´ WDE DW WKH WRS WR VHDUFK
- x once an item of interest is found, to the right of the title click on "2 of 2 available" or if in the title's record at the top far right click on "copies" to obtain the title, call number, and barcode information that is needed to send through email.
- x email all requests to mediaservices@sd40.bc.ca
- x materials will be sent in the interoffice mail on Wednesdays and Fridays only

IMPORTANT:

When emailing requests please include the following information: title, call number, and barcode.

For example:

Title: SOGI Kit: Blow the Whistle on Name Calling

Call #: MK 306.76 SOG

Barcode: RMS202776 (you FDQ ILQG WKLV E\ FOLFNLQJ RQ 3 RI

Books

Title	Call #	Barcode
Princess Princess Ever After	741.5 ONE	RMS202761
10,000 Dresses	E EWE	RMS202765
Introducing Teddy	E WAL	RMS202766
Worm Loves Worm	E AUS	RMS202767
Big Bob, Little Bob	E HOW	RMS202768
Home at Last	E WIL	RMS202769
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Morris Micklewhite and the Tangerine Dress	E BAL	RMS202763
Beyond Magenta: Transgender Teens Speak Out	306.768 KUK	RMS202775
The Gender Quest Workbook: A Guide for Teens and Young adults Exploring Gender Identity	306.76 TES	RMS202774
Being Jazz: My Life as a (Transgender) Teen	306.76 JEN	RMS202773
Tomboy Survival Guide	306.76 COY	RMS202772
Homophobia: Deal With It and Turn Prejudice into Pride	306.76 SOL	RMS202762
Queer, There and Everywhere: 23 People Who Changed the World	306.766 PRA	RMS202771

Kits (Books and Lesson Plans)

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> x Prince Cinders x The Worst Princess x King and King x My Princess Boy 		
<p>SOGI Kit: Questioning Gender Expectations Gr. 2 to 5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> x Lesson plan x <i>Ž Ž † ï • f • • † – „ f Ž Ž ” † f •</i> x Henry Holton Takes the Ice x Oliver Button is a Sissy 	<p>MK 306.76 SOG</p>	RMS202780
<p>SOGI Kit: Emotional Regulation Gr. K to 4</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> x Lesson plan x <i>† † ã ” f † • ï • – ‘ ” † „ ‘ •</i> 	<p>MK 306.76 SOG</p>	RMS202781
<p>SOGI Kit: Gender Identity, Media & Stereotypes Gr. 4/5</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> x Lesson plan & 2 Gender Sheets (The Gender Unicorn; the Genderbread Person) x I Am Jazz (picture book) x Links to recommended books and online media 	<p>MK 306.76 SOG</p>	RMS202782
<p>SOGI Kit: The Struggle for LGBTQ Rights in Canada and the World Gr. 5/6</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> x Lesson plan x 		