

Most of us are probably very much aware of what has occurred in many school districts across the country, and in AZ, in recent years. Much of this came to public awareness during the changes associated with COVID in 2020. Parents are the primary caregivers for their children. Schools are responsible for providing a service. Schools and school personnel cannot and must not usurp that primary role. Full transparency is not negotiable. Any effort to hide curriculum or personal student information is unacceptable. The only exception to this would be when there is a credible suspicion of abuse by a child's parent or guardian. If that troubling, unfortunate situation occurs, there are legal requirements and specific steps to follow.