

Rejecting “Activism Culture” as a Culture of Hostility, Intimidation, and Coercion

Rejecting activism culture as a social culture that normalizes hostility, intimidation, harassment, coercion, and the targeting of individuals or groups. This includes rejecting the use of collective pressure, online mobs, threats, abusive rhetoric, and ideological conformity to silence opposition or punish people for their beliefs, identity, or lawful expression. Advocacy should respect individual rights, freedom of conscience, peaceful disagreement, and the principle that no person or group is entitled to threaten, abuse, or intimidate others in the name of a cause.

- *We are asking you to leave.*

Union of Saints calls for “normalcy” in classrooms.

No White erasure, no forced globalism.

Within America, we call for American authors.

We do not accept “American cultural replacement tactics.”

No campaign propaganda or politically activist-sponsored books.

Separate Summary

American Colleges with Documented Soros-Related Funding

Here are the clearest starting points for investigating college-level reading materials and curricula.

Bard College

The Open Society Foundations announced a \$500 million challenge grant in 2021, following earlier funding for Bard’s Center for Civic Engagement and educational programs. This documents institutional support but does not identify a particular book as required reading.

[*Open Society Foundations*](#)

[*Bard College official website*](#)

Central European University (CEU)

Founded by Soros in 1991, CEU is a university with programs in the social sciences, humanities, law, and related fields. Its connection is direct, but individual course syllabi must be checked to establish which books are assigned.

[*CEU official website*](#)

Arizona State University (ASU)

ASU was named as a partner in the Open Society University Network, announced in 2020. That establishes a network partnership, not that Soros funded all of ASU or selected its textbooks.

[*ASU official website*](#)

Specific Books Documented in Bard College Syllabi

Bard is a useful starting point because its funding connection is documented and its course syllabi are publicly available. The following books appear in published course materials; their appearance in a syllabus does not establish that the books themselves were funded by Soros.

Book	Author(s)	Subject
<i>We Should All Be Feminists</i>	Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie	Feminism
<i>On Being Included: Racism and Diversity in Institutional Life</i>	Sara Ahmed	Institutional diversity
<i>On Intersectionality</i>	Kimberlé Crenshaw	Intersectionality
<i>Pedagogy of the Oppressed</i>	Paulo Freire	Critical pedagogy
<i>Teaching to Transgress: Education as the Practice of Freedom</i>	bell hooks	Education and social critique
<i>Feminism Without Borders</i>	Chandra Talpade Mohanty	Transnational feminism
<i>The Undercommons: Fugitive Planning and Black Study</i>	Fred Moten and Stefano Harney	Critical theory and Black studies

These titles are listed in a published Bard College Berlin syllabus for a course examining feminism, institutional diversity, and higher education.

An incarcerated college system was established, which is positive. However, the verbiage was centered on “left-radical activism,” with phrases such as “a call to arms.”

You can inspect the original course materials here:

- [*Bard College Berlin course listings and syllabi*](#)
- [*Open Society Foundations’ explanation of its higher-education funding*](#)

Important distinction: *These are documented examples from a Soros-supported educational institution, not evidence that the books are assigned at every Soros-supported college or at American universities generally. The syllabi are from specific courses and years.*

For a more complete investigation, the next step would be to compare current syllabi from American colleges with documented OSF grants or Open Society University Network partnerships, identifying the exact titles, courses, instructors, and academic years.

- *The U.S. Department of Justice ordered prosecutors to prepare investigations into the Open Society Foundations, which are funded by George Soros. The directive was sent by senior official Aakash Singh to U.S. attorneys’ offices in at least seven states.*
- *George Soros has a giving nature. However, money can also be a tool for persuasion and create an obligation rather than freedom. Possible favoritism shown to students rather than acceptance based on merit.*

- *About 1 in 59 Americans identify as Jewish by religion (1.7%). Yet, at Bard College, 1 in 7 students are Jewish. Possible favoritism shown to Jewish students due to coercion or force by political networks.*
- [Hillel International: Bard College](#)
- [U.S. Department of Education: Open Investigations](#)