

Moms For Liberty; Florida State Legislative Priorities 2024

To Whom It May Concern:

As you may know, Moms for Liberty stands up for parental rights in education. We empower parents to defend their own parental right at all levels of government.

For the 2024 legislative session we have three top priorities to bring to your attention.

- 1.) Obscenity- We want to help make Chapter 847 stronger. The Miller Test applied in 847 should be void as the 1974 Supreme Court case did not involve children nor educational facilities. There are no books that contain both sexual content to minors AND literary value without parental consent.
- 2.) Curriculum Transparency- Federal Law allows parents to review teacher manuals at their students' school but current Florida law prevents the review of teacher manuals with the FLDOE during the public review process. We want more transparency. At no fiscal impact to the state of FL, when publishers provide their curriculum to be adopted by the state, they should provide a teacher manual that has test questions and answers redacted for the public to review prior to state purchase.
- 3.) Student Data Privacy- HB 699 was passed and signed by Governor DeSantis during the 2023 legislative session. While this is a great start, there are a few changes we would like to see made which includes an opt-out option. There should be no third party to third party disclosure except in the sale of a company and continued adherence to contractual and legal regulations by the purchasing company. Additionally, we are requesting fully informed parental consent which includes access to a full data dictionary (including MetaData).

If any of these priorities look like something you would like to take on, please reach out to us so we can sit down and provide more information. We look forward to working with you this year.

In Liberty,

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