



Policy: Movies During In-Class Instruction

Policy Statement

Movies, film, and other audio visual materials are important tools in education. Critical understanding of movies, film and other audio visual materials is an integral part of literacy. Students need to use critical thinking and analysis in the context of cultural references and their Catholic faith tradition when analysing the media around them to ensure that it respects the dignity and value of the individual and the community.

The ability to create movies, film and other audio visual materials is becoming an important skill, and is being developed in many content areas. These products can benefit others in a way that models gospel values.

When using movies, film and other audio visual materials in the classroom, it is important to ensure that they are appropriate and legally used within copyright and that they serve an appropriate educational purpose.

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