

1 EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT CABINET

2 Kentucky Board of Education

3 Kentucky Department of Education

4 (New Administrative Regulation)

5 704 KAR 8:100. Kentucky Academic Standards for Library Media Elective.

6 RELATES TO: KRS 156.070, 156.160, 158.645, 158.6451, 156.850, 158.102, 158.791, 160.290,

7 704 KAR 3:305

8 STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 156.070, 156.160

9 NECESSITY, FUNCTION, AND CONFORMITY: KRS 156.160 requires the Kentucky Board
10 of Education to establish courses of study for the different grades and kinds of common schools,
11 with the courses of study to comply with the expected goals, outcomes, and assessment strategies
12 developed under KRS 158.645 and 158.6451. KRS 156.070(1) requires the Kentucky Board of
13 Education to manage and control the common schools and all programs operated in the schools.
14 KRS 160.290 authorizes local boards of education to provide for courses and other services for
15 students consistent with the administrative regulations of the Kentucky Board of Education. KRS
16 156.850 requires compliance with federal provisions and acts relating to vocational education.
17 KRS 158.102 requires boards of education for each local school district to establish and maintain
18 library media centers in every school to promote information literacy, technology in the
19 curriculum, and to facilitate teaching, student achievement, and lifelong learning. KRS 158.791
20 details the provision of high-quality library media programs to support reading proficiency. This
21 administrative regulation incorporates by reference the Kentucky Academic Standards for

22 Library Media, which contain the general courses of study and academic content standards of
23 library media for use in Kentucky's common schools.

24 Section 1. Public schools offering a library media program shall meet the minimum content
25 requirements established in the Kentucky Academic Standards for Library Media Elective.

26 Section 2. Incorporation by Reference. (1) The "Kentucky Academic Standards for Library
27 Media Elective", October 2020, is incorporated by reference.

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