

Recommendation of The EDUHSD  
R-Rated Film Advisory Committee

Title of Film Ordinary People

Reason for R-Rating

Language  Violence  Sexuality

1. Committee Recommendation to the Board of Trustees:

Adoption as a Supplemental Instructional Material

No Recommendation for Adoption as a Supplemental Instructional Material

Date of Committee Recommendation: September 29, 2003

2. Appropriate Uses of Film/Suggested Curricular Goals/Standards:

*The instructional objectives to be achieved by showing this film is to illustrate how people deal differently with stress (death); to analyze the psychology of death and suicide.*

*Content standards related to the psychology elective.*

3. Areas of Concern/Conditions Established by Committee for Recommendation:

*The Committee had concerns about the subject matter (death/suicide) and the use of the film in a class with Grades 9-12 students.*

4. Appropriate Grade Levels for Film:

All Grades 9-12       Grades 11-12       Other

5. Appropriate Courses for the Use of the Film:

*Psychology*

6. Minority Opinion/Recommendation:

7. Superintendent's Recommendation:  Approve       Not Approve