

Irish Education Curriculum and Related Concerns (incl. RSE and SPHE)		
The Queering of Irish Education 5: SPHE - What's in Schools Right Now	In this video, we will go through what Irish Junior Cycle children are being exposed to as part of SPHE/RSE in the classroom, based on actual text books and the supporting resources including library books.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=chd1ZsJqMrw
NCCA Primary Curriculum Consultation	Link to the main website for the 2024 Primary Curriculum consultation which closes on June 7th.	https://ncca.ie/en/primary/primary-developments/primary-curriculum-review-and-redevelopment/consultation-2024/
The Queering of Irish Education Part 5: SPHE - What's in the School's Right Now	In this video, we will go through what Irish Junior Cycle children are being exposed to as part of SPHE/RSE in the classroom, based on actual text books and the supporting resources including library books.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=chd1ZsJqMrw
The Colonisation of the Irish Curriculum: Part I	Ireland is no stranger to colonisation. The arrival of the Vikings, Anglo-Normans, and subsequently the English, changed the trajectory of Irish culture, society, and people. Today, rather than raiders stealing silver chalices from monasteries, plundering resources and grabbing land, a soft colonisation is underway involving the implantation of gender identity theory throughout the Irish education system.	https://genspect.org/the-colonisation-of-the-irish-curriculum-part-i/
The Colonisation of the Irish Curriculum: Part II	In Part I of this series, we explored how gender ideology was exported from foreign NGOs into Irish classrooms. It began as an effort to tackle bullying and other challenges experienced by homosexual and gender-distressed children; now, however, it has morphed into an ideological drive that sees the contested theory of gender identity presented uncritically across all levels of the Irish education system.	https://genspect.org/the-colonisation-of-the-irish-curriculum-part-ii/
Gender Ideology and the Breakdown of the Chain of Trust in Irish Education: Part 1	Web article from Genspect covering the introduction of Gender Identity in Irish schools as long ago as 2012.	https://genspect.org/gender-ideology-and-the-breakdown-of-the-chain-of-trust-in-irish-education-part-1/
Gender Ideology and the Breakdown of the Chain of Trust in Irish Education: Part 2	Web article from Genspect out-lining how the introduction of the new NCCA RSE/SPHE curriculum and the HSE Busy Bodies text were heavily influenced by ideologically driven NGOs and without any regard to child safeguarding.	https://genspect.org/gender-ideology-and-the-breakdown-of-the-chain-of-trust-in-irish-education-part-2/
Short Course Social, Personal & Health Education (SPHE) Specification for Junior Cycle	The revised SPHE course specification for Junior Cycle introduced in Autumn 2023.	https://www.curriculumonline.ie/getmedia/ca8f8975-50ca-4dc3-bba5-a04e25b4f978/JC_SPHE_Short_Course_2023.pdf
GROWING UP and TRANSGENDER LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL – A Resource for SPHE and RSE	This resource is intended to support the teaching of Relationships and Sexuality Education (RSE) at Junior and Senior Cycle level. It is not a stand-alone resource but should be used in conjunction with other materials such as the Teaching Relationships, Understanding Sexuality Teaching (TRUST) resource at Senior Cycle.	https://www.pdst.ie/sites/default/files/Growing%20UP%20LGBT%20PDF_0.pdf
Busy Bodies - A booklet about puberty and adolescence for you and your parents	Published by the HSE and aimed at children in 5th and 6th class. Pages 41-42 cover gender identity. Overall content is a bit over the top graphically. Parental complaints were advised the booklet is in line with the WHO Standards for Sexuality Education	https://www.sexualwellbeing.ie/for-parents/busy-bodies-english-language.pdf
Opening statement by Dr. Aoife Neary to the Dail Committee on Education from 2018	This address by Dr. Neary is insightful in terms of what is to come: <i>we must take account of how fears around 'childhood innocence' act as a barrier in ways that don't account for the capabilities of children or the wants of parents. To be effective, comprehensive RSE must begin in early years — from as young as three... and ...uncertainties around religious ethos continue to constrain RSE.</i>	https://data.oireachtas.ie/ie/oireachtas/committee/dail/32/joint_committee_on_education_and_skills/submissions/2018/2018-06-12_opening-statement-dr-aoife-neary-lecturer-in-sociology-of-education-university-of-limerick_en.pdf
Catholic School Living Love Resources for RSE/SPHE	These resources should be used in place of the corresponding RSE/SPHE resources from the standard curriculum. All of the material can be downloaded for review by parents.	https://catholiceducation.ie/living-love-rse-resources/
Relationships and Sexuality Education (RSE) in Primary and Post-Primary Irish Schools (2018), Dr.Seline Keating et al	Research paper on the further development of RSE and SPHE in Irish Education.	https://www.ncca.ie/media/3781/relationships-and-sexuality-education-rse-in-primary-and-post-primary-irish-schools-a-research-paper.pdf
A STATE FUNDED NGO HAS BEEN TRAINING TEACHERS TO LIE TO PARENTS ABOUT THEIR CHILDREN	The State funded NGO BeLongTo has produced a handbook for teachers and youth workers which specifically instructs those professionals to lie to parents/guardians about their children.	https://gript.ie/a-state-funded-ngo-has-been-training-teachers-to-lie-to-parents-about-their-children/
INTOLiam&Lucy - PRIMARY SCHOOL teacher training video "How to Socially Transition a child in the classroom"	INTO instructional video for teachers on how to approach the social transitioning of one of the children in a class, introducing them by their new name and pronouns.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7EX738IPaYw
Woke Schools Are Indoctrinating Your Children Noelle Mering	Schools are indoctrinating your kids into the woke agenda. How did we get here? Noelle Mering, author of Awake, Not Woke, reviews the history that brought our educational institutions to their current crisis. Why did we go down this road, and can we recover?	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2h7epYV_Vgg
Overexposed and Under-Prepared: The Effects of Early Exposure to Sexual Content	Today, children are being sexualized earlier and earlier, in part because they are exposed to sexual material in movies, television, music and other media earlier than ever. With widespread access to the Internet, curious teens may accidentally or intentionally be exposed to millions of pages of material that is uncensored, sexually explicit, often inaccurate, and potentially harmful.	https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/real-healing/201208/overexposed-and-under-prepared-the-effects-early-exposure-sexual-content

Awake, Not Woke with Al Kresta, Peter Herbeck, and Noelle Mering	Renewal Ministries and @AveMariaRadioOnline present a timely discussion on woke ideology between Al Kresta, Peter Herbeck, and Noelle Mering (Author of "Awake, Not Woke"). This in-depth conversation looks closely at societal trends and the impact on souls, mission, and evangelization. In particular, it focuses on the sexualisation of children as an objective of the woke movement.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2JW-7TbmF9k
Who Is Justine Ang Fonte and Why Are We Letting Her Near Children?	At the elite Dalton Prep School in Manhattan parents were enraged at a porn literacy workshop given to 6-year-olds. The sex education class showed videos on sex education, gender identity, and consent. The videos instruct children that their parents and grandparents shouldn't touch them without their permission. The parents were not informed and were outraged. The person in charge of this class was Justine Ang Fonte, founder of Amaze.org, which is a collaboration with the Grove Foundation funded "Advocates for Youth".	https://t2conline.com/who-is-justine-ang-fonte-and-why-are-we-letting-her-near-children/
UNESCO Advocates for Youth	UNESCO web page containing a link to the AMAZE video "resources"	https://healtheducationresources.unesco.org/organizations/advocates-youth

Radical Sex and Gender Education in Other Countries

Queer Theory in Welsh Schools	We have previously raised concerns over the anti-safeguarding approach of the Welsh government's Relationships and Sexuality Education Code, now mandatory in all maintained Welsh schools from the age of 3. Now independent research has shown that the Welsh RSE Code was influenced by elements of Queer Theory that should concern parents.	https://safeschoolsallianceuk.net/2022/10/09/welsh-rse-code-queer-theory/
Welsh Government RSE, Queer Theory, ROGD and social media - 2	Covers the ideological indoctrination of Welsh children - Welsh Government RSE Code for schools	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zWh2OP9UMCQ
Wales RSE, Queer Theory and medicalisation of young bodies - 7	Part of a series of videos created at the time of the introduction of RSE in Wales.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dXm6YVv59zg
Yes, Canada Actually Wants to Queer Your Child, with Melanie Bennet	Canadian mother talks about how woke ideology is engrained in Canada's education system including the use of Queer Pedagogy in schools.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NUgrZrxFqSs
The Queering of the American Child	Provides an overview of the book "The Queering of the American Child" by James Lindsay and Logan Lancing	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WaAtO6fXBlg
SOMEWHERE OVER THE RAINBOW	Author Logan Lancing provides a preview of the book "The Queering of the American Child" he co-wrote with James Lindsay.	https://thelancing.substack.com/p/somewhere-over-the-rainbow
The Lancing Ep. 002 - The Queering of the American Child	In this episode of The Lancing, Logan introduces the core arguments of The Queering of the American Child: How A New School Religious Cult Poisons the Healthy Minds and Bodies of Normal Kids (New Discourses, 2024)	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4p8wVgEzDpk

Irish SPHE Classroom Videos (these are videos that are referenced in the official SPHE textbooks)

What is Transgender? Simply Explained	What Does It Mean To Be Transgender? Transgender people showed the society that defining gender is not simple. You can not just label someone male or female. But what does it really mean to be transgender?	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YQAFYv15N7E
Sexual Orientation: A Spectrum Of Attraction	Sexual orientation is all about who you're romantically and sexually attracted to.	https://youtu.be/laDn_U8JRM
Female Puberty	Covers the body changes associated with female puberty.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=omISCvHtUpY https://safeshare.tv/x/Trt3ozY3cRc
Male Puberty	Covers the body changes associated with male puberty.	www.educateplus.ie/go/male-body https://safeshare.tv/x/VnT8pf6WJ9o
Taking Care of Your Body During Puberty	You may be more aware of this as your body goes through puberty—the changes that happen when your body goes from a child to a young adult. These changes include increased hormone production, body oil secretion and body hair growth. It's these changes that can cause a person to smell more than they used to or to experience things, like acne.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=00BYvDr8Xdg
Human reproductive system full process step by step	Video covering the process of conception.	https://youtu.be/CnHUwLHjNY
Cycle of Socialization; Gender	Video on gender stereotypes.	https://youtu.be/R_vx_SC3l9g
Let's talk about equality and equity	It doesn't matter who you are, every human has the same value and is deserving of the same opportunities. This video describes the basic human right of being free and equal, explaining the difference between equality and equity with easy to understand examples.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9isVHRDeGis
Finansforbundet on Equal pay What do these kids understand that your boss doesnt	Video from The Finance Sector Union of Norway on equal pay.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7n3Sov7Zctk

Working out Relationships? The Shackleton Relationships Project	Falling in love is fun but, like a gym membership, keeping your relationship fit involves time and commitment even when you don't feel like it but working at relationships is worth the effort.	https://youtu.be/dMwL6uhRV10
Online Safety & Sexting - Just Send it	Video on the dangers of sexting.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C7z6IMbL3mw
'Porn stars' deployed in New Zealand government's online safety campaign	A New Zealand government advertising campaign aimed at promoting online safety for under 18s features two naked 'porn stars'. The adult actors knock on the door of a family home to tell the mother 'your son's been watching us online'. The stunned mother listens as she is told that porn stars don't talk about consent and 'just get straight to it'. 'Yeah, and I'd never act like that in real life,' the male porn star says.	https://www.theguardian.com/global/video/2020/jun/15/porn-stars-deployed-in-new-zealand-governments-online-safety-campaign-video
The Science of Pornography Addiction (SFW)	It's the number one topic for internet searches, but do we ever consider how pornography can have lasting neuroplastic effects? Discover the hard science behind the 'porn epidemic' - the internet's drug of choice.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1Ya67aLaaCc

Highly Sexualised Children's Library Books

"PASSING THE BOOK"LIBRARY EXPOSE	Jana Lunden, NWC founder and Lynda Kennedy, co-founder of IEA and NWC member, expose who is behind the sexually explicit and indoctrinating library books. Find out who the organisations are, how public funds and NGOs are pushing this and how it is coming from the top down! We give names as well and will continue to call out those who are not doing their duty to safeguard children. The books are still in front of innocent children.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=omISCvHtUpY
GRIPT EXAMINES 'THIS BOOK IS GAY' which is one of the books that has been appearing in public libraries in the area for 12-17 year olds.	'This Book is Gay' has caused controversy among parents in recent months. After author Juno Dawson's recent Late Late appearance Fatima Gunning reads from the book see what's in it. Viewer discretion is advised.	https://gript.ie/gript-examines-this-book-is-gay/
ANOTHER LIBRARIAN PENS OPPOSITION TO SEXUALLY EXPLICIT BOOKS IN TEENS SECTION	Gript Media article highlighting a whistleblowing librarian on the topic of over sexualised books in the children's section of public libraries.	https://gript.ie/another-librarian-pens-opposition-to-sexually-explicit-books-in-teens-section/
SHOCKING MOMENT: John Kennedy Reads Graphic Quotes From Childrens' Books At Senate Hearing	At today's Senate Judiciary Committee hearing, Sen. John Kennedy (R-LA) read aloud from controversial books that have caused upset among some conservative parents.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KBhy_vlgKS4

Legal and Legislation

Irish Education Act, 1998, Section 30	Section 30 (2) (e). This is a key Statutory Right of all mothers/fathers/guardians of children (under 18) and the same right extends to persons over the age of 18 in Education.	https://www.irishstatutebook.ie/eli/1998/act/51/section/30/enacted/en/html
Irish Constitution - See Article 42.1 in particular	Article 42.1 of the Irish Constitution states very clearly: The State acknowledges that the primary and natural educator of the child is the Family and guarantees to respect the inalienable right and duty of parents to provide, according to their means, for the religious and moral, intellectual, physical and social education of their children. Parents are the primary educators of the child, and have the right and duty to provide for their children's education.	https://www.irishstatutebook.ie/pdf/en.cons.pdf
Children First - National Guidance for the Protection and Welfare of Children	Covers all aspects of child welfare and protection as well definitions of abuse.	https://www.tusla.ie/uploads/content/Children_First_National_Guidance_2017.pdf
Irish Children First Act 2015	Link to the Children's First Act 2015.	https://www.irishstatutebook.ie/eli/2015/act/36/enacted/en/html
Irish Prohibition of Conversion Therapies Bill 2018	Was originally focused on gay conversion therapy but was amended to bring gender identity and gender expression into scope. This bill would enshrine the HSE's current "affirmation" position in legislation and outlaw the therapeutic approach advocated by Dr O'Shea. With 80%+ of children desisting through puberty, these children could potentially be pulled into an unnecessary medicalisation pathway.	https://www.oireachtas.ie/en/bills/bill/2018/39/
Provision of Objective Sex Education Bill 2018	Guarantee the right of students to receive factual and objective relationships and sexuality education without regard to the characteristic spirit or ethos of the school.	https://www.oireachtas.ie/en/bills/bill/2018/34/

WHO and UNESCO Comprehensive Sexuality Education Standards

WHO Standards for Sexuality Education in Europe	These are the main standards that have driven the updated curriculum. These are quoted back to parents in response to concerns that are raised on specific content items such as the HSE's "Busy Bodies" guide that introduces Gender Ideology to primary school children. See pages 38-39 for the horrifying standards in relation to 0-4 year olds.	https://www.bzga-whocc.de/en/publications/standards-for-sexuality-education/
UNESCO International technical guidance on sexuality education: an evidence-informed approach	This is the UNESCO 2018 guidance document on sexuality education.	https://unesdoc.unesco.org/ark:/48223/pf0000260770

Comprehensive Sexuality Education: A (Critical) Review of UNESCO and WHO Standards	A critical review of the WHO and UNESCO Comprehensive Sexuality Education Standards.	https://safeschoolsallianceuk.net/wp-content/uploads/2023/04/Comprehensive-Sexuality-Education-A-Review-of-UNESCO-and-WHO-Standards.pdf
The Queering of Irish Education Part 2: CSE History and WHO Standards	In this video, which the first of a three on this topic, we will review the history behind Comprehensive Sexuality Education up to the introduction of the "WHO Standards for Sexuality Education in Europe" in 2010 including a detailed run through of those standards.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B5vQ6RX37ng
The Queering of Irish Education Part 3: UNESCO Technical Guidance on Sexuality Education	In this video, we will review the 2018 UNESCO International Technical Guidance on Sexuality Education and in the next video in this series will go through a comprehensive critique of both this document and the "WHO Standards for Sexuality Education in Europe" that we covered in the previous video.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=A9Xy216F3tk
The Queering of Irish Education Part 4: Critique of the WHO and UNESCO Sex Ed Standards	In this video, we go through a comprehensive critique of both "WHO Standards for Sexuality Education in Europe" and the "UNESCO International Technical Guidance on Sexuality Education" that we covered in detail in previous videos. We will also put these documents into an Irish context incl. the new SPHE curriculum.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fyo63jh5UDM
The War on Children. The Comprehensive Sexuality Education Agenda	Video from 2017 that outlines what "Comprehensive Sexuality Education" actually is and it's consequences. An important video for anyone starting out on this topic.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Yt0WU3M9ASA
Schools & Children: Caught in the Transgender Industry's Web	A chilling must-watch video talking about the infiltration of Gender Ideology into US schools. Most of this is applicable to what we are seeing in Ireland today with groups like <i>BelongTo</i> and what is happening in libraries.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PEolq0mJUss
UN and WHO Global 2030 Sexual Agenda: Children Should Be Prepared for Early Sexual Partnerships	Swedish website raising concerns over the UN and WHO's 2030 goals with respect to children and sexuality. The embedded video is only available in the online version. This is a deeply disturbing video where teachers engage two young children on the topic of masturbation (the boy looks to be only 4 or 5 years old). It was produced by another organisation pushing children's sexual rights (https://rutgers.international/).	https://www.vaken.se/uns-and-whos-global-2030-sexual-agenda-children-should-have-sexual-partners-as-early-as-possible/
You're Teaching My Child What? The Truth About Sex Education	The principles of sexual health education are not based on the hard sciences. Sex education is animated by a specific vision of how society must change, and because of this, sex ed curricula omit critical biological truths and endorse high-risk behaviors. The priority for SIECUS, Planned Parenthood, and Advocates for Youth is not the health and well-being of young people. These federally funded organizations are fighting "repression" and "intolerance," not herpes or syphilis. But when sexual freedom reigns, sexual health suffers. Our children are being taught that you can play with fire, and we are obligated to inform them of the risks they face and to teach them biological truths, even when they are politically incorrect.	https://www.heritage.org/education/report/youre-teaching-my-child-what-the-truth-about-sex-education

Gender Identity and Queer Theory

The Cass Review – Final Report	This is the final version of the 2024 report by Hilary Cass on the Gender Identity Service in the Tavistock Clinic citing the issues found and a set of recommendations going forward.	https://cass.independent-review.uk/home/publications/final-report/
The Cass Report Is Out—An Early Analysis of Findings and Recommendations	Mainstream gender theory is about to have its foundation shattered thanks to a new groundbreaking report. Dr. Hilary Cass recently published a nearly 400-page report on "gender identity services for children and young people". The report, which was commissioned by the National Health Service (NHS) England roughly four years ago, found "remarkably weak evidence" to support the use of puberty blockers and hormone treatments for gender distressed children. The report also includes 32 specific recommendations on how gender services should operate in England.	https://donoharmmedicine.org/2024/04/11/cass-report-slams-gender-affirming-care-model
The WPATH Files	These leaked files from the World Professional Association for Transgender Healthcare (WPATH) reveal widespread medical malpractice on children and vulnerable adults.	https://environmentalprogress.org/big-news/wpath-files
Lobotomies - Past Medical Scandals and The WPATH Files - Part 1	Continuing our series on the impact of the WPATH Files, join journalist and WPATH Files author Mia Hughes, Genspect's Stella O'Malley, and Carrie Mendoza, MD to explore past medical scandals. What can we learn from the rise and fall of lobotomies as a practice to treat mental illness? How do these lessons help us understand the current medical practice to treat gender dysphoria and how to construct safeguards for children and vulnerable adults? Read the section on lobotomies in the WPATH Files (pp. 53-57).	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9XNHh-Nzml0
Leading doctors report HSE to HIQA over transgender care Prime Time	The two most experienced clinicians involved in transgender healthcare in Ireland have made a formal complaint to the Health Information and Quality Authority (HIQA) about the Health Service Executive's (HSE) treatment of children with gender identity issues.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Q5GmUhui0UQ

Why to Reject the WHO Over “Gender-Affirming Care”	This text was lightly expanded from a piece of submitted written testimony to the United States Senate for a hearing regarding the World Health Organization and its current impacts on American life. The information provided herein is primarily derived from the book <i>The Queering of the American Child</i> by Logan Lancing and James Lindsay.	https://thelancing.substack.com/p/why-to-reject-the-who-over-gender
BBC Horizon Docu Drama - Dr Money and the Boy with No Penis	A disturbing BBC documentary on the story of John Money and the failed experiment of the Reimer twins.	https://ok.ru/video/282279676645
Sophie Ottaway: "My gender was changed as a baby and kept secret for 22 years"	Sophie Ottaway joins Mark Dolan to discuss how at the age of 22 she discovered she'd been born a boy, after having her gender changed by doctors as a baby, due to medical complications.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oiHPQMj4DIE
Introduction to Queer Theory	Queer Theory is a neo-Marxist and postmodern critical theory of gender, sex, and sexuality. Like all critical theories, Queer Theory uses a neo-Marxist lens to critique society and force it to change through activism. Queer Theorists argue that normalcy - especially as it relates to "norms" of gender, sex, and sexuality - is the central construct for understanding inequality. That is to say, Queer Theorists believe that dominant groups use power to define what "normal" means and do so to benefit themselves at the expense of others.	https://www.itsnotschools.com/queer-theory.html
The Queering of Irish Education Part 1: An Intro to Gender Identity and Queer Theory	In this video we will cover the origins of Gender Identity, from the initial usage and definition of the term by John Money, to it's definition as part of Queer Theory, the origins of Queer Theory and the people and ideologies that fed into it, as well as Queer Pedagogy, the notion of Queering education and ultimately Queering our children in school as part of being "Inclusive".	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=R9h7i22NJW4
Michel Foucault and Queer Theory	Michel Foucault is the most important public intellectual in recent times. Although he died in 1984 of AIDS, the first public figure in France to do so, and was a highly influential figure in his time, his influence grew almost exponentially thereafter. It is the 'queering' influence of academic discourse by writers such as Foucault and Judith Butler who have also bequeathed to us the previously novel idea of gender identity.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ma7JkSr8BXY
Thinking Sex: Notes for a Radical Theory of the Politics of Sexuality - Gayle S. Rubin	An online copy of this pivotal essay from Gayle Rubin in the context of Queer Sexuality. Comprehensive sexuality education (CSE), which is called RSE and SPHE in Ireland, seeks to normalise most of what Gayle Rubin identifies as the "Outer Limits".	https://bpb-us-e2.wpmucdn.com/sites.middlebury.edu/dist/2/3378/files/2015/01/Rubin-Thinking-Sex.pdf
The Catholic Position on Gender Ideology		
“MALE AND FEMALE HE CREATED THEM” TOWARDS A PATH OF DIALOGUE ON THE QUESTION OF GENDER THEORY IN EDUCATION	Official Vatican teaching on the topic of gender, issued in 2019. Any Catholic uncertain of the church position on this topic needs to read this document.	http://www.educatio.va/content/dam/cec/Documenti/19_09_97_INGLESE.pdf
2024 Vatican Declaration “Dignitas Infinita” on Human Dignity	In this 2024 document approved by Pope Francis, the Vatican espouses the infinite dignity of the human person and linked to that it restates the Catholic Teaching on abortion, surrogacy, assisted dying and gender ideology (which it insists must be rejected). This document is a must read for any Catholic as well as any other person whether of faith or not who is interested in understanding the Catholic position on these issues and the rationale behind that position.	https://press.vatican.va/content/salastampa/it/bollettino/pubblico/2024/04/08/0284/00588.html#en
Catholic School Living Love Resources for RSE/SPHE	These resources should be used in place of the corresponding RSE/SPHE resources from the standard curriculum. All of the material can be downloaded for review by parents.	https://catholiceducation.ie/living-love-rse-resources/
Vatican calls non-binary gender 'fictitious' in report tackling 'education crisis' over sexuality	Report from CNN in 2019 in relation to the release of the document “Male and Female He Created Them” in which they state the Vatican has come under fire from LGBTQ groups after releasing a guide to sexuality for Catholic schools across the world that describes non-binary gender as “fictitious.”	https://edition.cnn.com/2019/06/10/europe/vatican-gender-theory-intl-hnk/index.html
Pope Francis: Gender ideology is 'one of the most dangerous ideological colonizations' today	Article from March 2023 where the Holy Father describes Gender Ideology as one of the most dangerous ideological colonisations today.	https://www.catholicnewsagency.com/news/253845/pope-francis-gender-ideology-is-one-of-the-most-dangerous-ideological-colonizations-today
Bishop Barron Shares Gender Ideology Concerns with Lawmakers	Bishop Barron expresses his concerns over Gender Ideology and related legislation that is being introduced. He encourages viewers to speak up on this issue and lobby lawmakers.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FueD8uzloy0
Transgenderism: An Easy to Understand Summary - Explaining the Faith	90 minute video from 2023 in which a US catholic priest, Fr. Chris Alar, gives an A-Z factual run down on the issue of Transgenderism as well as covering the Catholic perspective on it.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b06sUHqW5E
Critical Social Justice / Woke Ideology		
A Christian Response to Wokeness (FULL VIDEO) Noelle Mering Leadership Institute	Noelle Mering, author of “Awake, Not Woke: A Christian Response to the Cult of Progressive Ideology,” shares with the Leadership Institute at Franciscan University of Steubenville how Christians should respond to woke ideology in today's culture.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3wy0MY_EmDE

Noelle Mering Staying Awake in an Age of Ideology 2023 Defending the Faith Conference	Noelle Mering gave this thought-provoking talk, "Staying Awake in an Age of Ideology" at the 2023 Defending the Faith Conference at Franciscan University.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DA1ucK4GMqs
Wolf in sheep's clothing	The story of Saul Alinsky, the father of community organizing, and the rise of his Cultural Marxism in the Catholic Church and America. This is a must watch to understand why his toxic influence is felt all across the world in the year 2020.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZnKB9NzgD4k
A Wolf In Sheep's Clothing II: The Gender Agenda (Part 1)	This is the second installment of EWTN's documentary: A Wolf In Sheep's Clothing. This time, it narrates the life and works of Simone de Beauvoir and Alfred Charles Kinsey. "By the fruits you will know them"—you will see how rotten and evil the foundations of the sexual revolution (culminating with the gender ideology) are. Part 1 of 3.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JPDafw3Q7u0
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Postmodern Religion and the Faith of Social Justice - James A. Lindsay and Mike Nayna	Increasingly, we are seeing insinuations that Social Justice has become a new religion. The purpose of this essay is to explore this topic in some depth. Because this essay is inordinately long—because the topic is inordinately complicated—it is broken into sections, as listed below. The reader is encouraged to engage with it in pieces and to treat it as he or she would a short book on this topic.	https://areomagazine.com/2018/12/18/postmodern-religion-and-the-faith-of-social-justice/
Critical Theory (Frankfurt School) - Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy	"Critical theory" refers to a family of theories that aim at a critique and transformation of society by integrating normative perspectives with empirically informed analysis of society's conflicts, contradictions, and tendencies. In a narrow sense, "Critical Theory" (often denoted with capital letters) refers to the work of several generations of philosophers and social theorists in the Western European Marxist tradition known as the Frankfurt School.	https://plato.stanford.edu/entries/critical-theory/
Helen Pluckrose on confronting Critical Theory Solutions With David Ansara Podcast #32	I speak with British writer Helen Pluckrose about the pernicious influence of Critical Theory, and how to push back against these dangerous ideas. Helen and I discuss the postmodern origins of Critical Theory, and how it escaped academia to become mainstream. This has dramatically altered the way we talk about race, gender and sexuality, she says. Helen argues that what passes for 'Social Justice' is in fact a fundamentally illiberal and intolerant ideology. Its adherents suppress free speech, foster a culture of victimhood and essentialise people's experience based on their identity and 'positionality'. We explore alternative (liberal) approaches to social justice, and also discuss the practical steps that ordinary people can take to counteract 'wokeness' in the workplace or other institutions.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xCMUAz7pMA8
DEI Explained - New Discourses	The Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion industry under Woke Marxism is easy to understand. Equity is a rebranding of Socialism: an administered economy that makes outcomes equal. Diversity and Inclusion are tools used to install political officers and to censor and remove dissidents, respectively. In other words, the Woke Marxist DEI industry is a racket designed to install commissars for its ideology. In this episode of New Discourses Bullets, James Lindsay breaks this vital concept down in quick, digestible terms.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=IKLuhY2Q7Rw
A Guide to Critical Race Theory by Ryan Chapman	A guide to critical race theory based on five of the most influential books related to critical race theory.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2rDu_VUpoJ8
Critical Race Theory: The Fault Lines of Social Justice Feat. Dr. Voddie Baucham	Dr. Voddie Baucham, preacher, professor, and cultural apologist, says, "Antiracism offers no salvation—only perpetual penance to battle an incurable disease." Join us and discover the disturbing worldview that underlines the philosophy of social justice and critical race theory.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yEL7KtQ673w
Cultural Marxism Explained	This video is an explanation of cultural Marxism, which is a term often thrown around in contemporary political and social debates. Here, those ideas are explored in a brief format.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rj1fy0iM6U
Woke Education/Pedagogy		
The War on Children - Documentary (2024)	"The War On Children" exposes the ongoing battle for control of the next generation and their minds. This film reveals the battle plan being used to control the future. To win this war you have to understand the tactics of your enemy.	https://twitter.com/elonmusk/status/1759049663917838659?s=12

The Critical Turn in Education James Lindsay	Education has been stolen from us and from our children. Yes, stolen. It was deliberately transformed from within into something that is barely education at all anymore. Instead, it's a systematic program of thought reform (brainwashing) into neo-Marxist belief and activism. How has this been accomplished? The formal name for the transformation is "the critical turn in education," which "turned" education from traditional models of pedagogy to "Critical Pedagogy," the application and teaching of Critical Theory to and through the education system. Its purpose: to overcome what Marxists refer to as "the problem of reproduction," by which stable societies reproduce themselves from one generation to the next, especially through institutions involving children like religion, family, media, and especially education	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HAQdYE8rQPI
Paulo Freire's "Critical" Method of Education James Lindsay	How on Earth did education get so messed up and stolen from our society and our kids? While the critical turn in education enabled this "transformation" of our education system, the crucial piece that allowed it to happen is the work of a Brazilian Marxist by the name of Paulo Freire. Paulo Freire completely transformed education, not least by Marxifying it.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SukzKzs_OSQ
10 Concepts About PAULO FREIRE's Pedagogy All You Need To Know	In this video I will explain 10 concepts that will help you become a better teacher by using Paulo Freire's pedagogy.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dE0iRMHzQC8
Paulo Freire - Pedagogy of the Oppressed (Free Audiobook)	Paulo Freire's work has helped to empower countless people throughout the world and has taken on special urgency in the United States and Western Europe, where the creation of a permanent underclass among the underprivileged and minorities in cities and urban centers is ongoing.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9NzKrFAaCsA
The Lancing Ep. 001 - Critical Constructivism i.e. WOKE	In this episode of The Lancing, Logan explores Chapter 1 of Joe Kincheloe's 2005 book, Critical Constructivism. (Kincheloe, J. L. (2005). Critical constructivism primer. Peter Lang.)	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cm6W2sn2WHA
The Lancing Ep. 003 - Critical Constructivism (WOKE) Part 2	In this episode of The Lancing, Logan explores Chapter 2 of Joe Kincheloe's 2005 book, Critical Constructivism. (Kincheloe, J. L. (2005). Critical constructivism primer. Peter Lang.)	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KnVjliP-JBE
The Lancing Ep. 5 - Navigating Parental Resistance	In this episode of The Lancing, Logan explores Navigating Parental Resistance: Learning from Responses of LGBTQ-Inclusive Elementary School Teachers	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MslAmBpEYG0
Kevin Kumashiro – Four approaches to Social Justice education	Celebrated Queer educator, Kevin Kumashiro gives his perspective on Social Justice Education. As part of his 2009 book, Against Common Sense: Teaching and Learning Toward Social Justice he states: "Our children are "experiencing the queer," Specifically, our children are experiencing the "queer" because they have been purposefully placed in a state of psychological crisis. "Crisis," Kumashiro says, "should be expected in the process of learning, by both the student and the teacher. Like queer activism, queer teaching always works through crisis...the goal is to continue teaching and learning through crisis—to continue experiencing the queer." (p. 55)	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GN-yhISqfz0
Drag pedagogy: The playful practice of queer imagination in early childhood Harper Keenan & Lil Miss Hot Mess	In recent years, a programme for young children called Drag Queen Story Hour (DQSH) has risen to simultaneous popularity and controversy. This article, written collaboratively by an education scholar and a drag queen involved in organizing DQSH, contextualizes the programme within the landscape of gender in education as well as within the world of drag, and argues that Drag Queen Story Hour provides a generative extension of queer pedagogy into the world of early childhood education.	https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/03626784.2020.1864621
The Fight for New College - A short documentary on the counterrevolution in higher education	The hard Left has dominated the universities for generations. It has captured the academic disciplines, established ideologically driven bureaucracies, and put activism, rather than scholarship, at the center of academic life. The Left has long considered the university campus its own private domain, untouchable by political leaders—until now.	https://christopherrufo.com/p/the-fight-for-new-college

Organisations and Websites of Interest

Natural Womens Council	Irish Grassroots non-profit campaigning to Empower Women, Safeguard Childhood, Defend Freedoms.	https://www.naturalwomenscouncil.com
Parent's Rights Alliance	Seek to uphold the rights of Parents over their children, in particular wrt their education in accordance with their values, as enshrined in the Irish Constitution.	https://parentsrightsalliance.com/
Irish Education Alliance	Teacher organisation that aims to provide oversight in relation to educational matters in Ireland, on behalf of children, parents and teachers.	https://irisheducationalliance.com/
Catholic Education Partnership	CEP support the advancement of Catholic religion and the advancement of education in accordance with Catholic Ethos through support and promotion of faith-based education.	https://catholiceducation.ie/
Living Love – RSE resources	These Relationship and Sexuality Education resources have been developed by the Council for Education of the Irish Episcopal Conference for use in Catholic post-primary schools in Ireland.	https://catholiceducation.ie/living-love-rse-resources/

The Countess Website	Women and Children deserve privacy and safety. Help us uphold these rights.	https://thecountess.ie/
Irish Parents Review English Curriculum	Blog that reviews the books on the Irish school curriculum and highlights any concerning content.	https://irishparents.blogspot.com/
Genspect	A healthy approach to sex and gender - An excellent reference site on this topic.	https://genspect.org/
SEGM – Society for Evidence Based Gender Medicine	Aim to promote safe, compassionate, ethical and evidence-informed healthcare for children, adolescents, and young adults with gender dysphoria	https://segm.org/
Sex Matters	Mission: to promote clarity about sex in law, policy and language in order to protect everybody's rights. Sex Matters is a human-rights organisation.	https://sex-matters.org/
Gript Media	Irish media organisation that covers what the mainstream doesn't cover.	https://gript.ie
Safe Schools Alliance UK	Safe Schools Alliance UK is a grassroots organisation which campaigns to uphold child safeguarding in schools.	https://safeschoolsallianceuk.net/
Transgender Trend	We are an organisation of parents, professionals and academics based in the UK who are concerned about the current trend to diagnose children as transgender, including the unprecedented number of teenage girls suddenly self-identifying as 'trans' (Rapid Onset Gender Dysphoria or ROGD). We are also concerned about legislation which places transgender rights above the right to safety for girls and young women in public toilets and changing rooms along with fairness for girls in sport.	https://www.transgendertrend.com/
New Culture Forum	"Challenging the orthodoxies dominant in our institutions, public life and wider culture."	https://www.newcultureforum.org.uk/
New Discourses	James Lindsay's website focused on pursuing the light of objective truth in subjective darkness.	https://newdiscourses.com/
It's Not In Schools	Developed as a tool to help you understand what the ideologies, politics and theories are, where they come from, and how they show up in your child's classroom.	https://www.itsnotinschools.com/
Family Watch International	Focused on countering the Sexuality Education agenda and promoting the family. Contains a lot of very good documentaries on this and related topics.	https://familywatch.org/
Family Watch International Documentaries	Link to a series of documentaries focused on child protection and family values.	https://familywatch.org/resources/documentaries/#.XhD9MhdKhQI
LGB Alliance – Defending the rights of lesbians and children	A UK organisation for gay, lesbian and bisexual people set up to defend the rights of lesbians and oppose the teaching of gender ideology in schools.	https://lgballiance.org.uk/facts/
Influence Watch	Use this site to check out the linkages between a person or organisation and other people and organisations. A quick check can tell you a lot.	https://www.influencewatch.org/
The Theology of Home	This website curates and publishes content and creates and sources carefully-crafted products that help women at any stage of life live out their vocations with beauty and meaning. (Catholic ethos)	https://theologyofhome.com/

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Chris Ruffo	Chris Ruffo is a conservative author/activist fighting woke ideology.	https://www.youtube.com/@christopherruffo
Forbes Breaking News	US News Agency that covers controversial issues not covered elsewhere.	https://www.youtube.com/@ForbesBreakingNews

American College of Paediatricians	Promoting the Non-Medicalisation of Youth wrt gender issues.	https://www.youtube.com/@AmericanCollegeofPaediatricians
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Recommended Books

The Queering of the American Child: How a New School Religious Cult Poisons the Minds and Bodies of Normal Kids - Logan Lancing, James Lindsay	The authors explain what Queer Theory is, where it comes from, how it got into schools, and what it's doing to children nationwide. While the book is based on a US context, the exact same is happening here.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Queering-American-Child-Religious-Poisons/dp/B0CSP4L1T9
You're Teaching My Child What?: A Physician Exposes the Lies of Sex Ed and How They Harm Your Child - Miriam Grossman	Excellent text for parents with children who are being exposed to the newer sexualised and ideology driven curricula. It covers what should be covered as part of Comprehensive Sed Ed but isn't.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Youre-Teaching-Child-What-Physician/dp/B00QHVJ00U
The Long March - How the left won the culture war and what to do about it – Marc Sidwell [Free Download]	This book uncovers the truth: a tangled history in which active subversion runs alongside unintended consequences and missed opportunities. Armed with a clearer understanding of the left's long march, it also reveals new possibilities for fighting back.	https://www.newcultureforum.org.uk/files/ugd/e42793_a246d5d7f7d94e569add03c4cb6de684.pdf
Awake Not Woke: A Christian Response to the Cult of Progressive Ideology - Noelle Mering	Unmasks this ideology by examining its history, major players, premises, and tactics, showing us that "Wokeness" at its core is an ideology of rupture, destabilizing our social fabric. A must read.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Awake-Not-Woke-Christian-Progressive/dp/B0BWPZCDX1
Cynical Theories: How Activist Scholarship Made Everything About Race, Gender, and Identity - and Why This Harms Everybody – Helen Pluckrose & James Lindsay	More focused on the political side of what's happening in the culture and insightful in that context. Effectively a debunking of radical activist scholarship.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Cynical-Theories-Scholarship-Everything-Everybody/dp/B08LTDJDM1
Lost in Trans Nation: A Child Psychiatrist's Guide Out of the Madness - Miriam Grossman	A must read guide for parents attempting to navigate their children through the troubled waters of the current culture in education. Provides some really good practical advice.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Lost-Trans-Nation-Psychiatrists-Madness/dp/1510777741
Trans: When Ideology Meets Reality - Helen Joyce	One of the top three texts on this topic. The author covers the belief system that is Transgender Ideology. Insightful.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Trans-When-Ideology-Meets-Reality/dp/B09K4GLNBS
Irreversible Damage: The Transgender Craze Seducing Our Daughters - Abigail Shrier	Covers the Gender Dysphoria epidemic being experienced in the US and other countries, particularly in the context of young girls.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Irreversible-Damage-Transgender-Seducing-Daughters/dp/B084Y7RLJV
Explaining Postmodernism by Stephen Hicks [Free Audiobook]	Tracing postmodernism from its roots in Jean-Jacques Rousseau and Immanuel Kant to their development in thinkers such as Michel Foucault and Richard Rorty, philosopher Stephen Hicks provides a provocative account of why postmodernism has been the most vigorous intellectual movement of the late 20th century.	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QcNjHNXnEE
When Kids Say They're Trans - Lisa Marchiano, Stella O'Malley, Sasha Ayad	There are many books written for parents facilitating a child's gender transition, but almost none for parents who decide against a social or medical transition. This book aims to redress this balance.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/When-Kids-Say-Theyre-Trans/dp/1800752644
Bully Proof Kids – Stella O'Malley	Based on many years' experience counselling bullies and targets, Stella O'Malley offers concrete strategies to empower children and teenagers to deal confidently with bullying and dominant characters.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Bully-Proof-Kids/dp/B08C3696QV
THE WOKE WARPATH: How Marxists Use Race and Gender to Break America (2022) - by Logan Lancing	This book is for anyone who wants to understand why race and gender are the central topics of contemporary political discourse.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/WOKE-WARPATH-Marxists-Gender-America/dp/B09WYVZFJ8
Time to Think: The Inside Story of the Collapse of the Tavistock's Gender Service for Children – Hannah Barnes	This urgent, scrupulous and dramatic audiobook explains how, in the words of some former staff, GIDS has been the site of a serious medical scandal, in which ideological concerns took priority over clinical practice.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Time-Think-Collapse-Tavistocks-Children/dp/B0BMB3VBH1
The Diversity Delusion: How Race and Gender Pandering Corrupt the University and Undermine Our Culture - by Heather Mac Donald	America is in crisis, from the university to the workplace. Toxic ideas first spread by higher education have undermined humanistic values, fueled intolerance, and widened divisions in our larger culture. Chaucer, Shakespeare and Milton? Oppressive. American history? Tyranny. Professors correcting grammar and spelling, or employers hiring by merit? Racist and sexist. Students emerge into the working world believing that human beings are defined by their skin color, gender, and sexual preference, and that oppression based on these characteristics is the American experience. Speech that challenges these campus orthodoxies is silenced with brute force.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Diversity-Delusion-Pandering-University-Undermine/dp/B07FYFTLTD
The Coddling of the American Mind: How Good Intentions and Bad Ideas Are Setting Up a Generation for Failure - Jonathan Haidt	What doesn't kill you makes you weaker Always trust your feelings. Life is a battle between good people and evil people. These three Great Untruths contradict basic psychological principles about well-being, as well as ancient wisdom from many cultures. And yet they have become increasingly woven into education, culminating in a stifling culture of "safetyism" that began on American college campuses and is spreading throughout academic institutions in the English-speaking world.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/dp/B07J9LSTCC
The Anxious Generation: How the Great Rewiring of Childhood Is Causing an Epidemic of Mental Illness - Jonathan Haidt	An urgent and insightful investigation into the collapse in youth mental health, from the influential social psychologist and international bestselling author. After more than a decade of stability or improvement, the mental health of adolescents in many countries around the world deteriorated suddenly in the early 2010s. Why have rates of depression, anxiety, self-harm and suicide risen so sharply, more than doubling in many cases?	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Anxious-Generation-Rewiring-Childhood-Epidemic/dp/B0CMV6J49K

Hidden Agender: Transgenderism's Struggle Against Reality by Gerard Casey	In Hidden Agender, Gerard Casey develops a timely and provocative defence of free speech and toleration against the transgenderist ideology that has infiltrated so much of the media, the political establishment and the law.	https://www.amazon.co.uk/Hidden-Agender-Transgenderisms-Struggle-Societas/dp/1788360583
WHEN HARRY BECAME SALLY - Ryan T. Anderson	Drawing on the best insights from biology, psychology, and philosophy, Ryan offers a nuanced view of human embodiment, a balanced approach on gender, and a sober view of the costs of getting human nature wrong.	https://www.easons.com/when-harry-became-sally-ryan-t-anderson-9781641770484

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