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# CFE Virtual Forum Series Banning books in schools: What does it mean for students?

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As schools face demands to remove books from their libraries and curriculum resources, few consider students' views. Join a panel of students who look at recent bans -- what it means for them, why it's happening, and what schools, students, and the community should do.

# **Jayreece Whiley**

2023 Valedictorian, Charles P Allen High School; African Nova Scotian Spoken Word Artist

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