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Theres a loud wave of curriculum and library book censorship attempts going on. It looks like a fear of letting ones child see that differences in people exist, and a fear of acknowledging that the differences are ok. Letting a student read about perspectives different from their own, or the same as their own, lets them expand their understanding of humanity. Whats the problem with understanding and empathy?