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Hello - I am here to pledge my support of banning book bans. As ironic as it sounds, it's like being intolerant of intolerance - and no books that have ever been written should be removed from people who want to read them, period. Reading diverse books is critical to a well-rounded education and understanding, and even reading books we don't agree with helps shape our understanding and ideas of things we DO think. Our thoughts and ideologies can and must be challenged with competing ideas, and this diversity of thought combined with strong critical thinking is what allows the best ideas to prevail and new ideas to emerge to help understand and solve the problems we continue to face in this world. STOP BANNING BOOKS!