

UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

February 2, 2022

Thomas Donohue
Executive Vice President and Chief Financial Officer
Barnes & Noble Education, Inc.
120 Mountain View Blvd
Basking Ridge, NJ 07920

Re: Barnes & Noble Education, Inc. Form 10-K for the Fiscal Year Ended May 1, 2021 Filed June 30, 2021 File No. 001-37499

Dear Mr. Donohue:

We have completed our review of your filing. We remind you that the company and its management are responsible for the accuracy and adequacy of their disclosures, notwithstanding any review, comments, action or absence of action by the staff.

Sincerely,

Division of Corporation Finance Office of Trade & Services