

BP 5040 STUDENT RECORDS, DIRECTORY INFORMATION, AND PRIVACY**References:**

Education Code Sections 76200 et seq.;
Title 5 Sections 54600 et seq.
20 U.S. Code Section 1232g(l);
ACCJC Accreditation Standard II.C.8

The Superintendent/President shall assure that student records are maintained in compliance with applicable state and federal laws relating to the privacy of student records.

The Superintendent/President may direct the implementation of appropriate safeguards to assure that student records cannot be accessed or modified by any person not authorized to do so.

Any currently enrolled or former student of the District has a right of access to any and all student records relating to him or her maintained by the District.

No District representative shall release the contents of a student record to any member of the public without the prior written consent of the student, other than directory information as defined in this policy and information sought pursuant to a court order or lawfully issued subpoena, or as otherwise authorized by applicable state and federal laws.

Students shall be notified of their rights with respect to student records, including the definition of directory information contained here, and that they may limit the information.

Directory information shall include:

- Name
- Level of education
- Academic majors
- Student participation in officially recognized activities and sports including weight, height, and high school of graduation of athletic team members.
- Degrees and awards received by students, including honors, scholarship awards, athletic awards, and Dean's List recognition.

The Solomon Amendment to Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) requires the District, upon request, to provide "student recruiting information" on any currently enrolled student who is at least 17 years of age to any branch of the armed services unless the student has opted out. "Student recruiting information" is defined by federal law as name, address, telephone numbers, age or date of birth, class level, degrees received, major, most recent educational institution attended. The District shall not release student recruiting information to military recruiters for those students who request that such information

not be released. The District shall establish procedures for students requesting to have any information withheld.

Also see BP/AP 3300 titled Public Records

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