

RELEASE OF DIRECTORY INFORMATION

The Pike County School Corporation may release certain “directory information,” which means information contained in an education record of a student that would not generally be considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if disclosed and which includes the student’s name, address, parents’ name(s) and telephone numbers, e-mail addresses, major field of study, participation in official recognized activities and sports, dates of attendance, awards received, teacher-selected student work with no grades displayed, pictures or video images not used in a disciplinary manner, previous schools attended, hair and eye color, race, sex, date of birth, height, weight, and grade level, without consent to media organizations (including radio, television, and newspaper), colleges, civic or school-related organizations, military recruiters and state or local governmental agencies.

Parents of a student less than 18 years of age or of a student who is at least 18 years of age desiring to object to disclosure of any or certain of the categories of directory information should request a form (Denial of Permission to Release Certain Directory Information Without Prior Consent) from the superintendent’s office.

An objecting parent or student may use the Denial form to deny consent for release of all directory information, or he/she may selectively deny consent by circling those categories of directory information he/she does not wish released. The corporation may disclose any of those items without prior written consent, unless notified in writing to the contrary by the first student day of the current school year. Parents have the right to sign the Denial form in the superintendent’s office at any time.