



RELEASE OF STUDENT INFORMATION

Individual student records (grades, test scores, evaluations, etc.) are not available for public inspection. This information is available to the student's parents, legal guardians, or to the individual student of legal age.

However, federal law allows student information that would not generally be considered harmful or an invasion of privacy to be disclosed. Federal law refers to this as "directory information," but do not be confused, we are NOT publishing this information in any kind of directory.

The primary purpose of directory information is to allow Lee County School District to include this type of information in certain school publications. Examples include school or district web sites; graduation programs; and school or district displays. It is also very practical in working with the news media, allowing your student to appear in newspaper articles and on television. Student directory information is also used specifically for armed services recruiting purposes and for informing young people for scholarship opportunities.

If you object to the release of this information, you should notify the district superintendent in writing within 15 days of receipt of this notice. If you do not submit a written objection, the district will be free to release this information as appropriate.

Please know that the use of any information by Lee County School District is for the promotion of our students' and districts' welfare. Any questions concerning student records should be addressed to the guidance office of the individual school.

Lee County School District does not discriminate on the basis of race, gender, disability, age, religion, immigrant status, or national origin in its educational programs and employment practices. Questions pertaining to Section 504 inquiries, may be directed to the Section 504 Coordinator, E. Leilani Stringer, Director of Special Programs. Questions pertaining to Title IX may be directed to the Title IX Coordinator, Dr. Jeffery Long, Director of Human Resources and Communications at P.O. Box 507, Bishopville, SC 29010. (803) 484-5327.