

PEARSALL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Notification Concerning Privacy of Student Directory Information

According to state and federal law, certain information about District students is considered directory information and will be released to anyone who follows the procedures for requesting the information unless the parent or guardian objects to the release of the directory information about the student. If you do not want Pearsall Independent School District to disclose directory information from your child's education records without your prior written consent, you must notify the District in writing by September 1 , 201 . PISD encourages parents to use this form as the written notification.

For school sponsored purposes (all District publications and announcements), PISD has designated the following as directory information: *student's name; address; photograph; major field of study; honors and awards; dates of attendance; grade level; enrollment status; most recent school attended; participation in officially recognized activities and sports; weight and height of members of athletic teams; and student identification numbers or identifiers that cannot be used alone to gain access to electronic education records.*

For all other purposes, PISD has designated the following information as directory information: *student's name; address; major field of study; honors and awards; dates of attendance; grade level; enrollment status; most recent school attended; participation in officially recognized activities and sports; and, weight and height of members of athletic teams.*

Federal law requires districts receiving assistance under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (20 U.S.C. Section 6301 *et seq.*) to provide a military recruiter or an institution of higher education, on request, with the name, address, and telephone number of a secondary student unless the parent has advised the District that the parent does not want the student's information disclosed without the parent's prior written consent.

A parent has the right to object to the release of all directory information or one or more specific categories of directory information.

You do not have to return this form!

This form is optional.

Only complete this form if you *object* to release of your student's directory information.

Yes, release **No, do not release** my child's directory information for **school sponsored purposes**. If I check "No," I understand my child will not be included in the school yearbook, athletic team rosters, graduation roster, school newspaper, etc., unless I give specific written authorization.

Yes, release **No, do not release** my child's directory information for **all other purposes** as explained above.

High School Students Only

Yes, release **No, do not release** my child's directory information to a **military recruiter** or **institution of higher education**.

Student's Name: _____ Grade: _____ Campus: _____

Parent's Name (Printed): _____

Parent's Signature: _____ Date: _____