

**Students**

**RELEASE OF DIRECTORY INFORMATION**

The Santa Cruz County Board of Education (Board) recognizes the importance of maintaining the confidentiality of directory information and therefore authorizes the release of such information only in accordance with law, Board policy, and administrative regulation.

The Superintendent or designee may release student directory information to representatives of the news media or nonprofit organizations in accordance with Board policy and administrative regulation.

*(cf. 1112 - Media Relations)*

The Superintendent or designee may limit or deny the release of specific categories of directory information to any public or private nonprofit organization based on his/her determination of the best interests of district students. (Education Code 49073)

Colleges and prospective employers, including military recruiters, shall have access to directory information. Military recruiters shall have access to a student's name, address, and telephone number, unless the parent/guardian has specified that the information not be released in accordance with law and administrative regulation. (20 USC 7908; 10 USC 503; Education Code 49603)

*Legal Reference:*

EDUCATION CODE

234.7 Student protections relating to immigration and citizenship status

49061 Definitions

49063 Notification of parents of their rights

49073 Release of directory information

49073.5 Directory information; military representatives; telephone numbers

49603 Public high schools; military recruiting

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 10

503 Military recruiter access to directory information

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20

1232g Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act

7908 Armed forces recruiter access to students and student recruiting information

UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 42

11434a McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act; definitions

CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 34

99.1-99.67 Family Educational Rights and Privacy

*Management Resources:*

CALIFORNIA ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE PUBLICATIONS

*Promoting a Safe and Secure Learning Environment for All: Guidance and Model Policies to Assist California's K-12 Schools in Responding to Immigration Issues, April 2018*

*Access to High School Students and Information on Students by Military Recruiters, 2002*

*California Attorney General's Office: <http://oag.ca.gov>*

*U.S. Department of Education, Family Policy Compliance Office:*

*<http://www.ed.gov/policy/gen/guid/fpco/index.html>*