RESOLUTION 25-046 - Approval of Amended Board Policy JOA - Directory Information (Required)

Background:

The State Board of Education recently made changes to the rules regarding directory information and student permanent records (OAR 581-021-0220). This update reflects these changes. OSBA will be doing a more comprehensive review of policies related to student records and releasing additional updates in the future.

WHEREAS, the Multnomah Education Service District Board of Directors reviewed and discussed Board Policy JOA – Directory Information; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, JOA – Directory Information is approved for first reading as written or as further modified.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that if no further discussion is required, Board Policy JOA – Directory Information is approved as proposed and does not require a second reading.

Multnomah Education Service District

Code: JOA Adopted: 9/20/94

Revised/Readopted: 7/16/02; 6/15/10; 6/18/13;

2/20/18; 9/16/25

Directory Information**

"Directory information" means those items of personally identifiable information contained in a student education record which is not generally considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if released. The following categories are designated as directory information. The following Directory information may be released to the public through appropriate procedures and includes:

- 1. Student's name;
- 2. Participation in officially recognized sports and activities and sports;
- 3. Weight and height of athletic team members of athletic teams;
- 4. Degrees and awards received;

Public Notice

MESD shall give annual public notice to parents of students in attendance and students 18 years of age or emancipated. The notice shall identify the types of information considered to be directory information and MESD's option to release such information and the requirement that the MESD must, by law, release secondary students' names, addresses and telephone numbers to military recruiters and/or institutions of higher education, unless parents or eligible students requests the MESD withhold this information. Such notice shall be given prior to release of directory information.

Exclusions

Exclusions from any or all directory categories named as directory information or release of information to military recruiters and/or institutions of higher education shall be submitted in writing to MESD by the parent, student 18 years of age or emancipated student within 15 days of annual public notice.

A parent of a student 18 years of age or emancipated student may not opt out of directory information to prevent the MESD from disclosing or requiring a student to disclose their name, identifier, institutional email address in a class in which the student is enrolled or from requiring a student to disclose a student ID card or badge that exhibits information that has been properly designated directory information by the MESD in this policy.

Directory information shall be released only with Superintendent or designee approval.

Directory information considered by MESD to be detrimental shall not be released.

Information shall not be given over the telephone except in health and safety emergencies.

At no time shall a student's Social Security number or student identification number be considered directory information. The ESD shall not, in accordance with state law, disclose personal information for the purpose of enforcement of federal immigration laws.

END OF POLICY

Legal Reference(s):

ORS 326.565

OAR 581-021-0220 to -0430

ORS 30.864

ORS 107.154

HB 3464 (2017)

ORS 326.575

OAR 581-022-1660

ORS 336.187

Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), 20 U.S.C. §§ 1400 - 1427 (2006-2024).

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, 20 U.S.C. § 1232g (2011); Family Educational Rights and Privacy, 34 C.F.R. Part 99 (2011) 2024).

Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015, 20 U.S.C. § 7908 (2017).

MESD Policy Cross Reference(s):

EH - Electronic Data Management

GCAB - Personal Communication Devices and Social Media - Staff

IGBAB/JO - Student Education Records**

IIBGA - Electronic Communications System

IKF - Graduation Requirements

JA/JAA - Student Policies, Goals and Objectives

JECD - Attendance

JFCEB - Personal Communication Devices and Social Media

JFE - Pregnant Students

JI - Student Awards and Scholarships

JIA - Student Recognition Program

JO/IGBAB - Student Education Records**

JOB - Personally Identifiable Information**