

## Student Records

The district will maintain those student records necessary for the educational guidance and/or welfare of students, for orderly and efficient operation of schools, and as required by law. All information related to individual students will be treated in a confidential and professional manner. The district will use reasonable methods to ensure that teachers and other school officials obtain access to only those education records for which they have legitimate educational interests. When information is released in compliance with state and federal law, the district and district employees are immune from civil liability unless they acted with gross negligence or in bad faith.

The district will retain records in compliance with the current, approved versions of the Local Government General Records Retention Schedule (CORE) and the School Districts and Educational Service Districts Records Retention Schedule, both of which are published on the Secretary of State's website at: [www.sos.wa.gov/archives/recordsretentionschedules.aspx](http://www.sos.wa.gov/archives/recordsretentionschedules.aspx).

Student records are the property of the district but will be available in an orderly and timely manner to students and parents. "Parent" includes the state Department of Social and Health Services when a minor student has been found dependent and placed in state custody. A parent or adult student may challenge any information in a student record believed inaccurate, misleading, or in violation of the privacy or other rights of the student.

Student records will be forwarded to other school agencies upon request. A high school student may grant authority to the district, permitting prospective employers to review the student's transcript. Parental or adult student consent will be required before the district may release student records other than to a school agency or organization, except as otherwise provided by law.

The superintendent or designee will establish procedures governing the content, management, and control of student records.

Cross References:

- 2100 - Educational Opportunities for Students with a Parent in the Military
- 3211 - Gender-Inclusive Schools
- 3520 - Student Fees, Fines, or Charges
- 4020 - Confidential Communications
- 4040 - Public Access to District Records
- 3115 - Students Experiencing Homelessness - Enrollment Rights and Services

Legal References:

- 42 U.S.C. 11431 et seq. McKinney-Vento Homeless Assistance Act
- 20 U.S.C. §§ 1232g Family Education Rights and Privacy Act
- CFR 34 , Part 99 Family Education Rights and Privacy Act Regulations
- RCW 28A.150.510 Transmittal of education records to DSHS
- Disclosure of educational records
- Data

sharing agreements  Comprehensive needs requirement document  Report.

RCW 28A.195.070 Official transcript withholding   
Transmittal of information

RCW 28A.225.151 Reports.

RCW 28A.225.330 Enrolling students from other districts  
 Requests for information and permanent records  
 Withheld transcripts  Immunity from liability  
 Notification to teachers and security personnel   
Rules

RCW 28A.230.120 High school diplomas  Issuance   
Option to receive final transcripts  Notice

RCW 28A.230.180 Educational and career opportunities in the military, student access to information on, when

RCW 28A.600.475 Exchange of information with law enforcement and juvenile court officials  Notification of parents and students.

RCW 28A.605.030 Student education records  Parental review  release of records  Procedure.

RCW 28A.635.060 Defacing or injuring school property   
Liability of pupil, parent or guardian  Withholding grades, diploma, or transcripts  Suspension and restitution  Voluntary work program as alternative  Rights protected

RCW 40.24.030 Address Confidentiality Program   
Application  Certification

Chapter 246-105 WAC Immunization of child care and school children against certain vaccine-preventable diseases

Chapter 392-172A WAC Rules for the provision of special education

Chapter 392-182 WAC Student Health Records

Chapter 392-415-WAC Secondary Education- standardized high school transcript

WAC 181-87-093 Failure to assure the transfer of student record information or student records

WAC 392-121-182 Alternative learning experience requirements

WAC 392-122-228 Alternative learning experiences for juvenile students incarcerated in adult jail facilities

WAC 392-500-025 Pupil tests and records  Tests   
School district policy in writing

42 CFR  2.14 Minor patients

RCW 9.02.100  Reproductive privacy  Public policy

RCW 70.02.220 Sexually transmitted diseases  Permitted and mandatory disclosures

RCW 70.02.240 Mental health services  Minors  Permitted disclosures

Chapter 246-105 WAC Immunization of child care and school children against certain vaccine-preventable diseases

Management Resources: 2018 - December 2018 - December Policy Issue  
Records Retention Schedule for School Districts and ESDs (updated 2014)  
2014 - December Issue  
2013 - February Issue  
2010 - February Issue  
2003 - December Issue  
2001 - April Issue

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