

**Postsecondary Enrollment Options
Acknowledgment of Counseling Prior to Enrollment**

Parma School District No. 137 recognizes the importance of encouraging its secondary students to enroll full-time or part-time in nonsectarian courses or programs at eligible postsecondary institutions in order to promote rigorous academic pursuits and to provide a wider variety of options to secondary students. However, it is also important for students to understand that there are risks and possible consequences to enrolling in such courses. Therefore, prior to a student enrolling in courses at a postsecondary institution, this district, to the extent possible, provides counseling services to interested students and their parents/guardians to ensure that they are fully aware of such risks and possible consequences of postsecondary enrollment.

I, _____ (student name), a student of _____ (school), have received postsecondary enrollment counseling services and understand the responsibilities that I assume in enrolling in a postsecondary institution. I further acknowledge that I have received and understand the following information:

1. Who may enroll;
2. What institutions and sources are available under this program;
3. The decision-making process for granting academic credits;
4. Financial arrangements for tuition, books, and materials;
5. Eligibility criteria for transportation aid;
6. Available support services;
7. The need to arrange an appropriate schedule;
8. Consequences of failing or not completing a course in which the student enrolls;
9. The effect of enrolling in this program on the student's ability to complete the required high school graduation requirements;
10. Financial aid; and
11. The academic and social requirements that must be assumed by the student and the parent/guardian.

Student

Date

Parent or Guardian

Date

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