

Safe and Welcoming Schools

What families should know about student's information and their immigration status

The Hillsboro School District is committed to providing a safe, welcoming and inclusive learning environment while upholding the laws and district policies that protect the well-being of each student in our care.

What Staff Do

- ✓ Help create and maintain a safe and welcoming school for all students and families.
- ✓ Follow HSD procedures and policies for enrolling and serving immigrant and refugee students.
- ✓ Safeguard the rights of students in our care.
- ✓ Interrupt and address discriminatory behaviors including joking, teasing or speculating about immigration.
- ✓ Share information with families about HSD's practices that support immigrant and refugee students.

What Staff Cannot Do

- ✗ Ask or require any student to share or demonstrate their immigration status or birthplace.
- ✗ Violate district policies and procedures or laws such as FERPA, that involve student information, including external requests for student or family information.
- ✗ Violate district policies and procedures for enrolling immigrant and refugee students.
- ✗ Discriminate against a student, family, or staff member based on any perceived component of identity, including immigration status.

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