
Rights of Eligible Students

A student who has attained 18 years of age, an emancipated minor, or a student who is attending a post-secondary education institution has the right of access to his/her educational records and is afforded the right to privacy.

The rights of parents regarding educational records under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 2003 are transferred to the student at age 18 or when she or he is attending postsecondary education. Because the rights given to parents under IDEA Part B are transferred to a student who reaches age 18, the rights regarding educational records are also transferred to the student.

When a student with a disability reaches age 18 (this includes those students incarcerated in an adult or juvenile, state or local correctional institution, but excludes those who have been determined to be incompetent under State law) our District does the following:

- Provides all required notices to both the student and the parents;
- Transfers to the student all other rights accorded to the parents under IDEA (as revised in 2004) Part B;
- Notifies the student and the parents of the transfer of rights; and
- Transfers the rights regarding education records to the student.