



Essex County Schools of Technology

ESSEX COUNTY WEST CALDWELL SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY

Parental Objection to Release of Student Information to Military Recruiters, College/University Recruiters or Prospective Employers

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Under the federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act (*ESEA*), as amended by the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)*, public high schools must give the names, addresses and telephone numbers of students to military recruiters, college/university recruiters and prospective employers if the recruiters request the information (*ESSA*, Title VIII, §8528). However, students or their parents have the right to instruct the school in writing that this information is not to be released.

If you do not consent to the release of this information to 1) military recruiters, 2) colleges/university recruiters and/or 3) prospective employers, please check the appropriate box or boxes below. To be certain your wishes are respected, return this form to Toni Evans, Guidance Secretary by **September 6, 2021**, although signed forms returned after that date will be effective after receipt by the Guidance office:

- DO NOT release student contact information to Military Recruiters.
- DO NOT release student contact information to College/University Recruiters.
- DO NOT release student contact information to prospective employers.

Student's Name

Name of School

Signature of Student or Parent/Guardian***

Date of Signature

*** Students have the right to request that their contact information not be released to recruiters. Parents can override a child's decision by notifying the school in writing, only if the student is under age 18. We encourage parents and students to discuss this information.

Sincerely,

Ayisha Ingram-Robinson
Principal