

Annual Notification under FERPA

As part of the School's annual notification under FERPA, we designate for school year 2017-2018 the following types or categories of information as "directory information."

Directory information means information contained in the educational record of a student, which is not considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if disclosed, so that it may be disclosed without prior parental consent, unless you have advised the Lincoln Park Performing Arts Charter School (Lincoln Park) to the contrary in accordance with Lincoln Park procedures. The primary purpose of directory information is to allow the Lincoln Park to include this type of information from your child's education records in certain school-related publications or notices.

Lincoln Park has designated the following information as directory information for the school year 2017-2018:

- Student Name
- Participation in officially recognized activities, clubs and sports
- Naming of Student to the National Honor Society
- Address
- Telephone listing
- Weight and height of members of athletic teams
- Electronic Mail Address
- Photograph
- Degrees, honors, awards received
- Date and place of birth
- Major field of study
- Dates of attendance
- Grade level
- The most recent educational agency or institution attended

Examples of how and where the school may disclose directory information include disclosing the directory information in the following, by way of example:

- Newsletters
- A playbill, showing student's role in a drama production
- The annual yearbook
- Graduation programs
- Sports activity sheets, such as for basketball showing weight and height of team members
- Companies or outside organizations that manufacture class rings or yearbooks
- Newspapers or other news sources

These examples are for illustration only and are not an exclusive list of the manner in which directory information may be disclosed. This provides you as a parent or eligible student with an opportunity to object in writing to any or all of those types of information that the School has designated as directory information. You have the right to refuse to permit the release by notifying the School in writing that you do not want any or all of those types of information to be designated as directory information for your child or yourself.

Please submit any refusal with the types of information you wish removed from the list of directory information and mail your written objections on or before September 6, 2017, to the Principal of the Charter School at: One Lincoln Park, Midland, PA 15059.

If you have any questions regarding this notice, please call or write the Principal of the Charter School at: One Lincoln Park, Midland, PA 15059. If you do not submit a written refusal on or before September 6, 2017 then the school may disclose directory information without your prior consent. A complete copy of the board policy is located at One Lincoln Park, Midland, PA 15059.