

**NOTIFICATION OF RIGHTS
UNDER THE PROTECTION OF PUPIL RIGHTS AMENDMENT
(PPRA)**

PPRA affords parents and students who are 18 or emancipated minors (“eligible students”) certain rights regarding the conduct of surveys, collection and use of information for marketing purposes and certain physical exams in the school. These include the right to:

Consent: before students are required to submit to a survey that concerns one or more of the following protected areas if the survey is funded in whole or in part by a program of the U.S.

Department of Education:

- Political affiliations or beliefs of the student or student’s parent,
- Mental or psychological problems of the student or student’s family,
- Sexual behavior or attitudes,
- Illegal, anti-social, self-incriminating or demeaning behavior,
- Critical appraisals of others with whom respondents have close family ties,
- Legally recognized privileged relationships, such as with lawyers, doctors or ministers,
- Religious practices, affiliations or beliefs of the student or parents, or
- Income, other than as required by law to determine program eligibility.

Receive notice and an opportunity to opt a student out of:

- Any other protected information survey, regardless of funding,
- Any non-emergency, invasive physical exam or screening required as a condition of attendance, administered by the school or its agent, and not necessary to protect the immediate health and safety of a student, except for hearing, vision or scoliosis screenings, or any physical exam or screening permitted or required under State law, and,
- Activities involving collection, disclosure or use of personal information obtained from students for marketing or to sell or otherwise distribute the information to others.

Inspect: upon request and before administration or use,

- Protected information surveys of students,
- Instruments used to collect personal information from students for any of the above marketing, sales or other distribution purposes, and,
- Instructional material used as part of the educational curriculum.

The Chebeague Island School Department has developed and adopted policies regarding these rights, as well as the protection of student privacy in the administration of protected surveys and the collection, disclosure or use of personal information.

The Chebeague Island School Department will notify parents/guardians of the following activities and provide an opportunity to opt a student out of participating in:

- Collection, disclosure or use of personal information for marketing or other distribution,
- Administration of any protected information survey not funded in whole or in part by ED,
- Any non-emergency, invasive physical examination or screening as described above.

Parents/Guardians who believe their rights have been violated may file a complaint with:

Family Policy Compliance Office
U.S. Department of Education
400 Maryland Ave., SW
Washington, D.C. 20202-5920

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