

Students

Privacy

The Governing Board recognizes that personal beliefs are a private matter. Without the written notice and written consent of a parent/guardian, no student shall be given any test, survey, questionnaire or examination containing questions about personal or family beliefs or practices in sex, family life, morality, or religion. (Education Code 60650)

As required by law, school counselors shall respect the confidentiality of any personal information disclosed by students 12 years of age or older during the course of educational counseling. Personal information given to a counselor by the parent/guardian of a student 12 or older shall also be kept confidential and included in the student's record only with the parent/guardian's written consent. Exceptions shall be made only as provided by law.

(cf. 1312.4 - Complaints Concerning Consolidated Categorical Aid Programs)

(cf. 6144 - Controversial Issues)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

49602 Confidentiality of pupil information  
60650 Personal beliefs

Policy  
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NORRIS SCHOOL DISTRICT  
Bakersfield, California