



Natick Public Schools
NATICK HIGH SCHOOL
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OPT OUT OF MILITARY RECRUITMENT

A provision of the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001, a federal law, requires secondary schools, upon a receipt of a request, to release the names, addresses, email addresses and telephone numbers of students attending the high school to United States military recruiters. If you wish to have your student's name removed from this reporting list, please fill out the form below by **October 31, 2026** and return it to Mrs. Slattery in the NHS Guidance Office via email at doslattery@natickps.org.

NOTE: This form is for use by parents/guardians of high school students.

I understand that Section 8025 of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), a federal law, permits me to submit a written request to the school and/or school district prohibiting the disclosure of my child's information, including my child's name, address, and telephone number, to any United States military recruiter without my prior written consent.^{1,2} Please be informed that this document constitutes my written request to bar disclosure.

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME: _____

STUDENT NAME: _____

STUDENT GRADE: _____

STUDENT ID NUMBER: _____

DATE: _____

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE (IF STUDENT IS UNDER 18): _____

STUDENT SIGNATURE (IF STUDENT IS OVER 18): _____

REFERENCES

1. See [[Page 129 STAT. 2115]]

<https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/senate-bill/1177/text#toc-H7549C9B976024930B024320484A07993>

2. Section 8025 of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), requires schools and/or school districts to notify parents of secondary school students of their option to refuse the release of their student's name, address, and telephone number to any United States military recruiter that requests it.

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