September 9, 2019

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 and return it to the address below.

East Orange School District
Office of Title I
199 4th Avenue, 7th Floor
East Orange, NJ 07017

To be certain your wishes are respected, return this form by October 11, 2019. Signed forms returned after that date will be effective after receipt.

☐ 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.

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Student’s Name

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Name of School

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Signature of Student or Parent*

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Date of Signature

Respectfully,
Your Partner in Education,

Dr. Kevin R. West
Superintendent of Schools

* Students over the age of 18 have the right to request in writing 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.

“Developing Leaders One Student at a Time”