



Program: 2021 Summer College Readiness Program

From: Student Affairs

Re: Consent to Release Educational Information

Landmark College is interested in student success, while students are here and after they leave to pursue further education. Therefore, the College seeks your permission to obtain information about your academic progress at institutions you attend after Landmark College. Specifically, the College is most interested in your Grade Point Average (GPA) and Academic Standing. Data collected will only be used in de-identified or aggregate form. The College will not reveal your name or other identifying information.

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) of 1974 is a federal law that protects the privacy of student education records. GPA and Academic Standing are considered part of the student record and as such, are protected under FERPA. Neither can be disclosed without the student's written consent. The College may also be interested in obtaining information about your enrollment status, major, degrees awarded, and other similar "directory information." Such directory information is usually shared with the public without the student's consent, but it is referred to here in case institutions you attend require consent.

Therefore, by signing this consent to release in the space below, you are granting Landmark College the right to obtain from institutions you attend after Landmark your Grade Point Average (GPA), Academic Standing, and "directory information" as defined in FERPA regulations. The purpose of this disclosure is so that Landmark can collect the information to track the academic progress of its former students and use it in de-identified or aggregate form. This consent to release is effective for a period of five years after your last date of attendance at Landmark College.

Your consent for the release of this information to Landmark College is completely voluntary, and you can revoke your consent at any time by making a request in writing to the Registrar at Landmark College or to the Registrar at the institution(s) that you attend after Landmark College.

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Student Name

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Date

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Signature

Return completed form via email to: summer@landmark.edu