

# Student Data Privacy Policy



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This *Student Data Privacy Policy* outlines the general policies regarding the collection, handling, and disseminating of student data.

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McKendree University safeguards the privacy of electronic student data in accordance to applicable federal and state regulations, including (but not limited to):

- Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) (20 U.S.C. § 1232g; 34 CFR Part 99)
- Solomon Amendment (10 U.S.C. § 983)

The University is committed to protecting the privacy of personally-identifiable data, and does not sell, trade, or otherwise share information with third parties with the following exceptions:

- As required to do so by law
- In response to a subpoenas, court orders, or legal processes
- With certain entities as essential for conducting university business for legitimate educational interests (e.g. National Student Clearinghouse)
- Consent of the student to share information

Directory information such as names, email addresses, student organization membership, etc. may be shared with the university community. Students can request to be opted out of certain data disclosures by contacting the appropriate person(s).