



Authorization for Release of Records & Information (ARR)

Family Education Rights and Privacy Act is a federal law designed to protect the privacy of a student's educational records. Educational records are all records that contain information directly related to a student; and are maintained by an educational agency or institution or by a party acting for the agency or institution. All FERPA rights transfer from the parent to the student when a student attends a postsecondary institution – regardless of parental information that may have been required when applying for financial aid. Therefore, Office of Financial Aid employees are unable to discuss matters with members of the student's family (parent, spouse, sibling, grandparent, etc) without the express written consent from the student him/herself. Should you wish your financial aid information to be shared with another person, please complete the FERPA release below and return to the Office of Financial Aid.

I hereby authorize the Office of Financial Aid at Whittier College to release records and information regarding my financial aid status.

Student Name: _____

Date: ____/____/____

Student ID: _____

Valid for the Fall Spring Summer of the 2008-09 School year.

I hereby authorize the release of information as checked below:

Yes No Financial Aid Award/Budget/Packaging Information

Yes No Student Aid Report Information (FAFSA/ISIR data)

Yes No Academic/Educational Plan Information

Yes No Enrollment Information

Yes No Academic Standing i.e. grades, GPA, suspensions

Other _____

Student Signature: _____

Date: ____/____/____

Released by: _____

Date: ____/____/____

OSF Staff Member

Whittier College Office of Financial Aid