

FERPA Certification and Release Statement

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) gives students the right to inspect and review their educational records. It also gives the University the ability to share those records with parents who claim their student as a dependent on their federal income tax return. Parents who claim their students as dependents for tax purposes may fill out the top portion of this form in order to receive their student's grades and enrollment status information. Students who are not dependents for tax purposes but who wish to have grades and enrollment status information shared with their parents must complete the form on the bottom half of this page. Please see the University of Chicago [Student Manual of University Policies and Regulations](#) or [Parent Handbook](#) for a more thorough discussion of FERPA.

Certification of Tax Status

I, _____, certify that _____
(print parent name) (print student name)

is my dependent on my most recently filed federal income tax return.

Address _____
(print street address) (print city, state, zip)

Phone Number: _____

(parent's signature) (date)

Authorization to Release Academic Information

I, _____, _____
(print student name) (student ID number)

give permission to the University of Chicago to release my grades and changes to the status of my enrollment to:

(print parent/guardian name)

Address: _____
(print street address) (print city, state, zip)

Phone Number: _____

I understand that I may revoke this consent at any time by written notice to the Office of the Dean of Students.

(student's signature) (date)

Please return to: Dean of Students in the College, 1116 E. 59th Street, Chicago, IL 60637