

Sachem Central School District at Holbrook

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

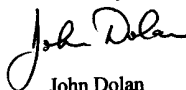
In January, 2002, President Bush signed the Education Reform Bill, commonly referred to as the "*No Child Left Behind Act*." Among the statute's provisions is a requirement that secondary schools provide certain student information to military recruiters. Specifically, §9528 of the No Child Left Behind Act requires that school districts disclose, to military recruiters and institutions of higher learning, upon request, the names, addresses and telephone listings of high school students.

Please note that there is a provision of the law that allows parents and students to request that such information not be released without their prior written consent. Parents or students wishing to exercise the option to withhold such information without prior written parental consent must sign and return the form to the Sachem North Guidance Office no later than September 30, 2010. If your form is not received by the Guidance Office by this date, your child's name may appear on the list sent to the military.

For your information, there are many other recruitment campaigns on high school or college campuses. Recruiters attend various events on campuses and distribute literature. Often, students are contacted by phone as well.

You should also be aware that when students file for financial aid, there is a question on the form asking if they are registered with Selective Services. If they are not, they may not qualify for certain financial aid programs.

Sincerely,



John Dolan
Principal

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*Sachem Central School District
Holbrook, NY 11741*

Reservation of Consent Form
Under the No Child Left Behind Act

I am in receipt of the notification from the District regarding the release of student names, addresses and telephone listings to military recruiters and institutions of higher education under the No Child Left Behind Act. Please do not release this information without prior written parental consent.

DATE SENT: August, 2010

Name of Student: _____

Student I.D. Number: _____

Address: _____

Signature of Parent/Student: _____

Date: _____