

Student Consent for Release of Records (for transfer students)
Teacher Education Program

Under Federal legislation, namely the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974, I understand that my educational records cannot be released without my written permission.

I further understand that, as a professional preparation program, the Teacher Education Program assesses both academic performance and professional behaviors, and that my past academic performance and professional behaviors in education methods courses and field experiences in other teacher preparation programs may be considered in evaluating my application for admission to the Teacher Education Program of The University of Iowa College of Education.

Therefore, I authorize The University of Iowa College of Education to contact and provide a copy of this release to teacher preparation programs where I have been enrolled in education methods courses or field experiences to request information about my academic performance and professional behaviors, and authorize those teacher preparation programs to release such information to The University of Iowa College of Education.

I understand that if I do not provide this release that I may not be considered for admission to the Teacher Education Program or for approval to enroll in courses of the Teacher Education Program or related field experiences. I also understand that I may submit with this release an additional statement of explanation about my previous enrollment in a teacher preparation program to be included in my application file.

signature

printed name(s) (include previous names used when enrolled at other institutions)

The University of Iowa identification number

date of signature

date of birth

Return this release by the application deadline to the Office of Education Services.

Teacher Education Program
Additional Requirement for Applicants with Previous Enrollment in
an Education Methods Course or Field Experience

Applicants to the Teacher Education Program who have been enrolled in an education methods course or field experience of another teacher preparation program are required to disclose this enrollment on the application form. For the application to be eligible for review, the applicant is required to provide the necessary release authorizing the College of Education to contact the previous teacher preparation program to inquire -- and authorizing the previous teacher preparation program to provide information -- on academic performance and professional behaviors in the previous teacher preparation program. If the release is not provided, the Associate Dean for Teacher Education and Student Services or the faculty admission committee may determine that the application is not eligible for further review for admission. Applicants may provide an additional statement of explanation about the previous enrollment in a teacher preparation program for inclusion in the application file.

Questions about this policy may be directed to the Office of Education Services (319/335-5360, N201 Lindquist Center).