

## Release for Letter of Recommendation

**Instructions for Faculty:** School officials may use this form when a student requests them to write a letter of recommendation. A signed release from a student is necessary to obtain written consent from the student. Student consent should include: (1) the data to be disclosed, (2) to whom the data will be disclosed, and (3) the student's signature and date.

**Nondirectory information** should not be included in a letter of recommendation without the student's written consent. Examples of nondirectory information include: birth date, religion, citizenship, disciplinary status, ethnicity, gender, GPA, marital status, UFID or social security number, grades/exam scores and standardized test scores.

If a letter of recommendation contains nondirectory information:

- A written release is recommended, not required, for recommendations sent to other educational institutions in which the student seeks to enroll, including professional school admission services.
- A written release is required for general letters of recommendation sent to an employer or an individual.

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| Instructions for Students: Complete, sign and return to the faculty member. |   |   |
| I give my permission to   | (Name of faculty member)                        | to write a letter of recommendation to:               |
| (Name of person, business, institution or service)                          |   |   |
| (Address)   |   |   |
| (City, State, Zip)  |   |   |
| I give my permission to include ☐ Grades ☐ GPA                              | de the following nondirectory  Other (please id | information in this letter of recommendation: entify) |
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| I waive my right to review this ☐ I waive ☐ I do not                        |   |   |
| Student signature   |   | Date  |