FERPA
Family Educational Rights & Privacy Act
What Is FERPA

• FERPA is the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act.

• This is a federal law that protects the privacy of student education records.

• It gives students certain rights over their educational records.
Who Is Protected Under FERPA

- Both current students and former students.

- Protection under FERPA begins once a student enrolls at The University of Memphis.

- Students who were admitted to the University of Memphis but have *Not* enrolled are not protected under FERPA.
Non-Directory Information

- Social Security Number
- Race
- Grades
- Gender
- Class schedule
Information To Know

• Please do not share Non-Directory information without having consent from the student.

• Please make sure ALL Consent Forms are completed through the Registrar Office, not from a generic form from the internet.

• When using eCoursework, please make sure to unselect the previous student name before sending a new email to a different student.
Contact Us

• For more information about FERPA, contact us
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• Office Hours
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