

North Carolina General Statute 114A-10 affords parents the right to:

1. Direct the education and care of his or her child.
2. Direct the upbringing and moral or religious training of his or her child.
3. Enroll his or her child in a public or nonpublic school and in any school choice options available to the parent for which the child is otherwise eligible by law to comply with the state's compulsory education laws.
4. Access and review all education records relating to his or her child.
5. Make healthcare decisions for his or her child except as otherwise provided by law.
6. Access and review all medical records of his or her child except as otherwise provided by law.
7. Prohibit the creation, sharing, or storage of a biometric scan of their child without the parent's written consent.
8. Prohibit the creation, sharing, or storage of their child's blood or DNA without parental consent.
9. Prohibit the creation by the State of a video or voice recording of their child without parental consent.
10. Be promptly notified if an employee of the State suspects a criminal offense has been committed against a parent's child.

A parent is entitled to see, inspect, and request documents or services as follows:

1. To request an evaluation of their child for an academically or intellectually gifted program or identification as a child with a disability.
2. To inspect and purchase textbooks and other supplementary instructional materials.
3. Access the School's promotion or retention policies, including high school graduation requirements.
4. To receive regular student report cards that depict and grade the student's academic performance, conduct, and attendance.
5. The right to participate in parent-teacher organizations.
6. The right to review all available records of materials their child has borrowed from a school library.

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