

CONSENT TO OBTAIN CREDIT REPORT 2012-2013

STUDENT NAME: _____ **BANNER ID:** _____

This form authorizes SUNY Plattsburgh to check the credit of a parent in terms of their eligibility for a Federal Direct Parent Plus Loan.

Parent Social Security Number

Parent Borrower Last Name Parent Borrower First Name M.I.

Parent Borrower Address

City State Zip Code

Parent Borrower Date of Birth (mm/dd/yyyy) Home Telephone # email

Are you the custodial parent? Yes No

PARENT SIGNATURE

By signing below, I consent to the U.S. Department of Education and its agents obtaining a report of my credit record and using the information from that report in determining whether to make a Direct PLUS Loan to me. I understand that I will be notified in writing of the results of the credit check with respect to my loan application.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

*If the PLUS Loan is denied due to credit, the student is eligible to borrow an additional Unsubsidized Federal Direct Loan not to exceed \$4,000 (freshman, sophomore) or \$5,000 (Junior, Senior). If this denial occurs, does the student want to borrow an additional Unsubsidized Federal Direct Loan?

No Yes: _____ (fall amount) + _____ (spring amount) = _____ (total)

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

PRIVACY ACT DISCLOSURE NOTICE

The Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S. C. 552a) requires that the following notice be provided to you. The authority for collecting the information requested on this form is §451 et seq. of the Higher Education Act of 1965, as amended. Your disclosure of this information is voluntary. However, if you do not provide this information, you cannot be considered for the PLUS Loan. The information on this form will be used to determine your eligibility for a Direct PLUS Loan. The information in your file may be disclosed to third parties as authorized under routine uses in the Privacy Act notices called "Title IV Program Files" (originally published on April 12, 1994, Federal Register, Vol 59 p. 17351) and "National Student Loan Data System" (originally published on December 20, 1994, Federal Register, Vol. 59 p. 65532). Thus, this information may be disclosed to federal and state agencies, private parties such as relative, present and former employers or creditors, and contractors of the Department of Education for purposes of administration for the student financial assistance program, for enforcement purposes, for litigation where such disclosure is compatible with the purposes for which the records were collected, for use by federal, state, local or foreign agencies in connection with employment matters or the issuance of a license, grant, or other benefit, for use in any employees grievance or discipline proceeding in which the Federal Government is a party, for use in connection with audits or other investigations, for research purposes, for purposes of determining whether particular records are required to be disclosed under the Freedom of Information Act, and to a Member of Congress in response to any inquiry from the congressional office made at your written request. Because we request your social security number (SSN), we must inform you that we collect your SSN on a voluntary basis, but section 484(a)(4) of the HEA (20 U.S. C. 1091(a)(4)) provides that, in order to receive any grant, loan, or work assistance under Title IV of the HEA, a student must provide his or her SSN. Your SSN is used to verify your identity, and as an account number (identifier) throughout the life of your loan(s) so that data may be recorded accurately.