


Alvin C. York Agricultural Institute	
Child Custody/Parental Access	
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- (1) Unless a Tennessee court specifies otherwise, the custodial parent shall be the one whom the Alvin C. York Agricultural Institute holds responsible for the education and welfare of that child.
- (2) Parents or guardians shall have the right to receive information contained in school records concerning their minor child.¹
- (3) Alvin C. York Agricultural Institute, unless informed otherwise, assumes there are no restrictions regarding the non-custodial parent's right to be kept informed of the student's progress and activities.
 - (a) If restrictions are made relative to the rights of the non-custodial parent, the custodial parent shall submit a certified copy of the court order which curtails these specific rights.
 - (b) Unless there are specific court-imposed restrictions, the non-custodial parent, upon request, shall receive a copy of the child's report card, notice of school attendance, names of teachers, class schedules; standardized test scores, and any other records customarily available to parents.²
- (4) No school official shall permit a change in the physical custody of a child at school unless:
 - (a) The person seeking custody of the child presents the Alvin C. York Agricultural Institute official with a certified copy of a valid court order from a Tennessee Court designating the person who has custody of the child; and
 - (b) The person seeking custody shall give the Alvin C. York Agricultural Institute official reasonable advance notice of his or her intent to take custody of the child at school.³

¹ 20 U.S.C. § 1232g(a)(1)(A)

² T.C.A. § 49-6-902

³ T.C.A. § 36-6-105