

Natchitoches Parish School Board

**Special Education Department
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AGE OF MAJORITY LETTER TO STUDENT

Date: _____

School: _____

Student Name: _____ DOB: _____ ID#: _____

Immediately upon your eighteenth birthday, you will reach the age of majority in Louisiana. In accordance with provisions of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), and *Bulletin 1706: Regulations for Implementation of the Children with Exceptionalities Act, Subpart A*, when an individual with an exceptionality reaches the age of majority and has not been determined to be incompetent, the local education agency shall give any notice required by IDEA and *Bulletin 1706* to both the individual and his or her parents. All other rights, however, under the IDEA and *Bulletin 1706*, transfer to the individual.

In the past your parent(s)/guardian(s) represented you and helped plan for your special educational needs. While your parents may still attend meetings and help with planning for your education, the rights that they had under law as your parents are now your rights.

If you need further information about the transfer of parental rights, you may contact:

Contact Name: _____ Cheryl Johnson _____

Title: _____ Director of Special Education _____

Telephone No.: _____ (318) 352-2358 ext. 1172 _____

Teacher: _____