



## Parents' Right to Know:

08/13/2018

Dear Parent or Guardian,

The law under the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 requires that any school in receipt of Title I, Part A funds must inform parents if their child is assigned a teacher for four or more consecutive weeks who is not yet "highly qualified" under the terms and criteria outlined in law.

According to the Title I, Part A provisions, a "highly qualified" teacher is one who:

1. Has obtained a bachelor's degree or higher;
2. Has obtained full state certification – in our state, this means that the teacher has either a preliminary, initial, or professional teaching license; and
3. Has demonstrated competency in the core academic subject area(s) that he/she teaches.

If you have any questions regarding the qualifications of your child's teacher, please feel free to contact me. For additional information about the federal highly qualified teacher requirements and the state's policies related to them, please visit the department of education's Web site.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steve Royce", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Steve Royce  
Principal