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Dear Parent,

On December 10, 2015, the *Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) of 2015* was signed into law. Section 1112(e)(B)(ii) of the law states that any school that receives Title I funds must inform parents if their child is assigned a teacher for four or more consecutive weeks who does not meet applicable state certification or licensure requirements at the grade level and subject area in which the teacher has been assigned.

Specifically, you have the right to request information about each of your child's classroom teachers:

- Whether the teacher meets the state qualifications and licensing criteria for the grades and subjects he or she teaches.
- Whether the teacher is teaching under emergency or provisional status because of special circumstances.
- The teacher's college major, whether the teacher has any advanced degrees, and the field of discipline of the certification or degree.
- Whether paraprofessionals provide services to your child and if so, their qualifications.

If you would like to receive any of this information, please contact the Supervisor of Human Resources at 804-652-4612.

Sincerely,



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