

Dear Parent or Guardian:

Our district is required to inform you of certain information that you have the right to know, according to The No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 (Public Law 107-110).

Upon your request, our district is required to provide in a timely manner, the following information:

- Whether the teacher has met state qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction.
- Whether the teacher is teaching under emergency or other provisional status through which state qualification or licensing criteria have been waived.
- Whether your child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their qualifications.
- What baccalaureate degree major the teacher has and any other graduate certification or degree held by the teacher, and the field of discipline of the certification.

Our district publishes this information about staff assignments, degrees, and certification on the district website. The information is located behind the tab labeled “Staff Directory” in a document called “Staff Certification Information.” There is also a page with information about paraprofessionals. If you have questions about this information, please contact the Superintendent at 657-2147.

In addition to the information that parents may request, districts must provide to each individual parent:

- Information on the achievement level of the parent’s child in each of the state academic assessments as required under this part; and
- Timely notice that the parent’s child has been assigned, or has been taught for four or more consecutive weeks by, a teacher who is not highly qualified

Parents of students who participated in the Missouri Assessment Program at our school last year, including grade-level assessments and end-of-course exams, will receive a score report and a letter explaining the report. However, if your child attended school in another district last year, that school has his/her score report. For questions about assessments, please contact the school guidance counselor.

Finally, if your child is taught by a teacher who is not considered “highly qualified” according to the No Child Left Behind Act, you will receive a separate notice.

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