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Parent Notification Letter
Right to Request Information on Teacher Qualifications
As Required Under the *No Child Left Behind Act of 2001*

Dear Parent(s) or Guardian(s):

On January 8, 2002, the *No Child Left Behind Act of 2001* (NCLB) was signed into law. Section 1111(h)(6)(A) states that as a parent of a student in a Title I school, receiving Title I funds, has the right to know the professional qualifications of the classroom teachers instructing your child. Federal law requires the school division to provide you this information in a timely manner if you request it. Specifically, you have the right to request the following 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 Tammy Huff, Director of Federal Programs, at (540)745-9400.

Sincerely,

Tammy Huff

Director of Federal Programs, Assessment, and Literacy

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