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To: All Parents/Legal Guardians in Title I Schools

From: Toni Perry

Date: September 14, 2021

Subject: "Right to Know" Notification to Parents of Teacher and Teacher Assistant Qualifications

The federal Every Student Succeeds Act requires school districts to notify parents of children attending a Title I school of their **right to know** the professional qualifications of the classroom teachers who instruct their child.

As a recipient of these funds, Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools will provide you with 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 core academic subjects he or she teaches.
- Whether the teacher is teaching under emergency status because of special circumstances.
- The teacher's college major, whether the teacher has any advanced degrees, and the field or discipline of the certification or degree.
- Whether teacher assistants provide services to your child and, if so, their qualifications.

In addition, the law requires that all schools that receive Title I funds must provide notification to every parent in the school whose child is being taught for four or more weeks by a teacher who is not Highly Qualified.

Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools is committed to providing quality instruction for all students and does so by employing the most qualified individuals to teach and support each student in the classroom. If you would like to receive any of the information listed above for your child's teacher please complete the enclosed form and send in as directed.

Encl.: Teacher/Teacher Assistant Information Request Form

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Para: Todos los Padres de las Escuelas de Título I

De: *Toni Perry*

Título I Fecha: September 14, 2021

Asunto: "**El Derecho a Saber**", notificación para los Padres acerca de las Cualificaciones de Maestro y Asistente de Maestro.

La Every Student Succeeds Act requiere que los distritos escolares notifiquen a los padres de los niños, que asisten a una escuela del Título I, de su **derecho a saber** acerca de las cualificaciones profesionales de los maestros que enseñan a sus hijos.

Como esta escuela recibe estos fondos, Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools le proporcionará a usted esta información en el tiempo oportuno si usted lo solicita. Específicamente, usted tiene el derecho de solicitar la siguiente información acerca de cada uno de los maestros de su hijo:

- Si el maestro cumple con los cualificaciones estatales y los criterios de licencia de enseñanza para los grados y las materias académicas básicas que él o ella enseña.
- Si el maestro está enseñando, en estado de emergencia, por circunstancias especiales.
- El grado universitario del maestro; ya sea que el maestro tenga títulos de posgrado, la certificación en el área de estudio o título.
- Si los asistentes de maestros proveen servicios a su hijo y, de ser así, sus cualificaciones.

Igualmente, la ley requiere que todas las escuelas, que reciben fondos de Título I, notifiquen a cada uno de los padres cuando su hijo está siendo enseñado por cuatro semanas o más por un maestro de la escuela que no está Altamente Cualificado.

Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools se compromete a proporcionar una enseñanza de calidad para todos los estudiantes, empleando a las personas más cualificadas para enseñar y apoyando a cada estudiante en el salón de clase. Si desea recibir la información mencionada anteriormente acerca del maestro de su hijo, por favor complete el formulario adjunto y envíelo como se le indica.

Adjunto: Formulario de Solicitud de Información de Maestro/Asistente de Maestro,

TEACHER/TEACHER ASSISTANT INFORMATION REQUEST FORM

Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools

Request for Information About Teacher/Teacher Assistant Qualifications

Instructions to Parents: Please complete this form. Use a separate form for each teacher or teacher assistant. Return the completed form to your school's office or mail to: *[School Address.]* Information will be sent to you within 30 days.

School Name: _____

Name of Teacher: Mr. Mrs. Ms. _____

or

Name of Teacher Assistant: Mr. Mrs. Ms. _____

Grade Level: _____ Subject (if applicable):

Name of Parent(s) Requesting Information:

Name of Student:

Mailing Address (where information is to be sent or faxed):

City

State

Zip code

Fax number: _____

Daytime telephone number in case of questions: _____

FORMULARIO DE SOLICITUD DE INFORMACIÓN DEL MAESTRO/ASISTENTE DE MAESTRO

Charlotte-Mecklenburg Schools

Solicitud de información acerca de las Cualificaciones de Maestro/ Asistente de Maestro

Instrucciones para los padres: Por favor, complete este formulario. Utilice un formulario individual para cada maestro o asistente de maestro. Envíe el formulario completo a la oficina de su escuela o por correo a: [Dirección de la escuela.] La información será enviada a usted dentro de 30 días.

Nombre de la Escuela: _____

Nombre del Maestro: Sr. Sra. Srta. _____ o

Nombre de la Asistente del Maestro: Sr. Sra. Srta. _____

Nivel de Grado: _____ Materia de Enseñanza (si es aplicable): _____

Nombre del Padre(s) solicitando esta información:

Nombre del Estudiante:

Dirección de Domicilio (a donde la información será enviada por correo o fax):

Domicilio

Ciudad

Estado

Código Postal

Número de fax: _____

Número de teléfono en caso de preguntas: _____

TEACHER/TEACHER ASSISTANT INFORMATION RESPONSE FORM

NAME OF TEACHER: _____

This teacher has a (bachelor's, master's) degree in _____ (subject).

This teacher (does, does not) meet the state qualifications and licensing criteria for the grades and subjects he or she teaches. _____ (List grades/subjects.)

This teacher (is, is not) licensed in the State of North Carolina.

(If applicable) This teacher is licensed in another state: _____

This teacher (is, is not) teaching under emergency status because of special circumstances.

NAME OF TEACHER ASSISTANT: _____

This teacher assistant works under the direct supervision of a Highly Qualified teacher, has a high school diploma or its equivalent, and has obtained/completed or is in the process of obtaining/completing: (check one and circle appropriately)

___ obtained / is obtaining required coursework at an institution of higher education; **or**

___ obtained / is obtaining an associate's degree from an accredited community college, technical school or other institution of higher education; **or**

___ completed / is completing the North Carolina Department of Labor Teacher Assistant Apprenticeship Program; **or**

___ completed / is completing Level I competencies of the North Carolina Association of Teacher Assistants Professional Development Program; **or**

___ completed / is completing the community college placement tests in reading, mathematics and writing, and 96 hours of staff development in reading, writing, mathematics, working with special populations of students, technology, or classroom management; **or**

___ completed / is completing the WorkKeys Occupational Profile for Teacher Assistants in the areas of reading, writing and mathematics, and completed 96 hours of staff development in reading, writing mathematics, working with special populations of students, technology or classroom management.