



NOTE TO PARENTS

September 8, 2023

Dear Truesdell parents:

Our teachers and staff are excited about providing you with another year full of excitement and learning. We welcome you to visit our school any time to talk about your child and his/her progress during the year.

You may have heard us talk a number of times about the federal Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) of 2015 in our school and district. One of the key provisions of this federal plan is to make sure schools have the most highly qualified teachers in the classrooms possible. We believe we are working hard to do just that! In fact, should you wish to receive information about the qualifications of your child's classroom teachers, ESSA allows you to ask our school to provide the following information:

- Whether your child's teacher has met Kansas licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas being taught;
- The teacher's baccalaureate degree and any other graduate certification or degree held and the field of discipline;
- Whether the teacher is teaching under emergency / other provisional license or whether licensing criteria have been waived; and,
- Whether the child is provided services by a paraprofessional and, if so, their qualifications.

If you would like to receive any of this information, please feel free to submit your request to me in writing and I will gladly follow up with you. If you have any questions about the Every Student Succeeds Act and its impact on our school, don't hesitate to contact me at [316-973-3900](tel:316-973-3900).

Thank you for all you do to support your child's education!

Sincerely,

Amy L. Johnson
Principal



NOTA PARA LOS PADRES

September 8, 2023

Estimados padres de la escuela Truesdell

Nuestros maestros y el personal están ansiosos por proporcionarles otro año lleno de emoción y aprendizaje. Los invitamos a visitar nuestra escuela en cualquier momento para hablar de su niño y su progreso durante el año.

Habrán escuchado hablar numerosas veces en nuestra escuela y el distrito, sobre la ley federal del 2015, *Cada Estudiante Triunfa* (ESSA, por sus siglas en inglés). Una de las disposiciones principales de ese plan federal, es asegurar que las escuelas tienen en los salones de clase los maestros más altamente calificados posibles. ¡Creemos que estamos trabajando duro para lograr justamente eso! En efecto, si desean recibir información sobre las calificaciones de los maestros de su hijo, ESSA les permite pedirle a nuestra escuela que se les provea la siguiente información:

- Si el maestro reúne el criterio de calificaciones y licencia requeridas por el estado para los niveles de grado y materias que enseña;
- Si el maestro está enseñando bajo una licencia provisional o de emergencia, o si el criterio de licencia no es necesario;
- El título del maestro y cualquier otra certificación de graduación o grado que ostente; y
- Si al niño le está proporcionando servicios un asistente del maestro, y de ser así, cuáles son sus calificaciones.

Si desean recibir cualquiera de esta información, por favor envíenme su petición por escrito y con gusto se las daré. Si tienen cualquier pregunta sobre la ley *Cada Estudiante Triunfa* y su impacto en nuestra escuela, no duden contactarme al 316-973-3900.

¡Gracias por todo lo que hacen por apoyar la educación de su niño!

Sincerely,

Amy L. Johnson
Principal



GỬI CÁC PHỤ HUYNH

September 8, 2023

Thưa các Phụ huynh Truesdell:

Các giáo viên và các nhân viên của chúng tôi rất vui mừng về việc cung cấp quý vị một năm đầy hứng thú và học tập. Chúng tôi hoan nghênh quý vị đến thăm viếng trường chúng tôi bất cứ lúc nào để thảo luận về con em và quá trình tiến bộ của chúng trong niên học.

Quý vị có thể đã từng nghe nói đến một số lần về Đạo Luật liên bang Mỗi Học Sinh Thành Công Act (ESSA) năm 2015 ở trường và khu học chánh của chúng tôi. Một trong những điều khoản chính của kế hoạch liên bang là để đảm bảo các trường học có những giáo viên có trình độ cao nhất có thể trong các lớp học. Chúng tôi tin rằng chúng tôi đang học tập rất chăm chỉ để chỉ thực hiện điều đó! Thực tế, nếu quý vị muốn nhận thông tin về trình độ của giáo viên của con em mình, ESSA cho phép quý vị để yêu cầu trường chúng tôi để cung cấp thông tin như sau:

- Liệu giáo viên của con em mình có đáp ứng các điều kiện và các tiêu chuẩn bằng cấp của tiểu bang cho các cấp lớp và các môn được dạy.
- Liệu giáo viên đang dạy trong trường hợp khẩn cấp/giấy phép tạm thời khác hoặc liệu tiêu chuẩn bằng cấp đã được miễn;
- Ngành nghề bằng cấp của giáo viên và bất kỳ bằng tốt nghiệp hoặc bằng cấp khác đã có; và,
- Liệu con em đã được cung cấp dịch vụ bởi một nhân viên phụ giáo và, nếu có, các trình độ của họ.

Nếu quý vị muốn nhận bất kỳ thông tin nào này, xin cứ tự nhiên gửi yêu cầu của mình tới tôi bằng văn bản và tôi sẽ vui lòng đáp ứng yêu cầu của quý vị. Nếu quý vị có bất kỳ điều gì thắc mắc về Đạo Luật Mỗi Học Sinh Thành Công và tầm ảnh hưởng của nó đối với trường học của chúng tôi, xin đừng ngại để liên lạc chúng tôi ở số 316-973-3900.

Cảm ơn mọi điều quý vị làm để hỗ trợ việc học tập của con em mình!

Sincerely,

Amy L. Johnson
Principal



September 8, 2023

To: Whom It May Concern

From: Amy Johnson

Subject: Teacher Qualifications

Federal law requires school districts to let parents/guardians know when a teacher who does not have a certain set of credentials is teaching your child for four consecutive weeks at a Title I school.

We are writing to tell you that Ms. Teri Keas Monical has taught your child Language Arts 6 & 7 from August 15, 2023. She does not have a teaching license.

Ms. Keas has a Master's in Education and has been substituting in USD 259 for the past two years.

Wichita Public Schools is dedicated to meeting the educational needs of our students and are working to ensure that your child receives the best possible education. Please feel free to call Amy Johnson at 973-3900 or the Title I office, at 973-4677 if you have questions or would like additional information.

Sincerely,

Amy L. Johnson
Principal



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Subject: Teacher Qualifications

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We are writing to tell you that Ms. Jynae Sheeley has taught your child Science 6 from August 15, 2023. She does not have teaching degree.

Ms. Sheeley does have an Associates degree in Computer Technology and has been substituting in our district for the last 2 years.

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Amy L. Johnson
Principal



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From: Amy L. Johnson

Subject: Teacher Qualifications

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We are writing to tell you that Mrs. Kristie Garrison has taught your child Special Education Social Studies since August 15, 2023 and she does not have a Special Education degree.

Mrs. Garrison does have a teaching degree and is highly qualified to teach Language Arts and Social Studies. She has been teaching for over 20 years and has taught many special education children.

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Sincerely,

Amy L. Johnson
Principal



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From: Amy Johnson

Subject: Teacher Qualifications

Federal law requires school districts to let parents/guardians know when a teacher who does not have a certain set of credentials is teaching your child for four consecutive weeks at a Title I school.

We are writing to tell you that Ms. Lily Jackson has taught your child Language Arts 8 from August 15, 2023. She does not have a teaching degree.

Ms. Jackson does have a Master's degree in Fine Arts and has been substituting in USD 259 for the last 2 years.

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Sincerely,

Amy L. Johnson
Principal



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From: Amy Johnson

Subject: Teacher Qualifications

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We are writing to tell you that Mr. Terrance Downing has taught your child Math 8 from August 15, 2023. He does not have a teaching license.

Mr. Downing is currently working on his Bachelor's in Social Work and has been substituting in USD 259 for 8 years.

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Sincerely,

Amy E. Johnson
Principal



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To: Whom It May Concern

From: Amy Johnson

Subject: Teacher Qualifications

Federal law requires school districts to let parents/guardians know when a teacher who does not have a certain set of credentials is teaching your child for four consecutive weeks at a Title I school.

We are writing to tell you that Mrs. Ruby Saenz-Duran has taught your child Math 7 from August 15, 2023. She does not have a teaching license.

Mrs. Duran is a Highly Qualified Paraprofessional with USD 259 for five years.

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Sincerely,

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Amy L. Johnson
Principal



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From: Amy Johnson

Subject: Teacher Qualifications

Federal law requires school districts to let parents/guardians know when a teacher who does not have a certain set of credentials is teaching your child for four consecutive weeks at a Title I school.

We are writing to tell you that Ms. Senta Washington has taught your child Language Arts 7 from August 15, 2023. She does not have a teaching license.

Ms. Washington has a Bachelor's in Social Work and has been substituting for the district for 20 years.

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Principal



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From: Amy Johnson

Subject: Teacher Qualifications

Federal law requires school districts to let parents/guardians know when a teacher who does not have a certain set of credentials is teaching your child for four consecutive weeks at a Title I school.

We are writing to tell you that Ms. Tiffany Stanton has taught your child Math 7 from August 15, 2023. She does not have a teaching license.

Ms. Stanton is an highly educated substitute teacher who has been substituting in our district for 1 year.

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Amy L. Johnson
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From: Amy Johnson

Subject: Teacher Qualifications

Federal law requires school districts to let parents/guardians know when a teacher who does not have a certain set of credentials is teaching your child for four consecutive weeks at a Title I school.

We are writing to tell you that Ms. Christina Winnerling has taught your child Language Arts 6 from August 15, 2023. She does not have a teaching license.

Ms. Winnerling is working on her Bachelor's in Education. She has been a Highly Qualified Paraprofessional in our district for 10 years.

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Sincerely,

Amy L. Johnson
Principal