

PARENTS RIGHT-TO- KNOW

Title I, Part A of ESEA (*Every Student Succeeds Act 2015*)

Parent's Right To Know - (Section 1112(e)(1)(A-B))

Qualifications: At the beginning of each school year, a LEA that receives Title I funds must notify parents of each student attending any Title I school that the parents may request, and that agency will provide the parents on request (and in a timely manner) information regarding the professional qualification of the student's classroom teachers, including at minimum the following:

- ◆ Whether the teacher has met State qualifications for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;
- ◆ Whether the teacher is teaching under emergency or other professional status that the State has waived;
- ◆ Whether the teacher is teaching in the field of discipline of the certification of the teacher; and
- ◆ Whether the child is provided services by paraprofessionals and if so their qualifications.

Additional Information - A school that receives Title I funds **must provide to each individual parent** –

- ◆ Information on the level of achievement and academic growth the child, if applicable and available, has made on each of the state assessments required under this part; and
- ◆ Timely notice that the parent's child has been assigned or taught for 4 or more consecutive weeks by a teacher who does not meet the applicable State certification or licensure requirements at the grade level and subject area in which the teacher has been assigned.

Format – The notice and information provided to parents under this paragraph shall be in an understandable and uniform format and, to the extent practicable, provided in a language that the parents can understand.