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A.D. Henderson University School & FAU High School
Parent Right-to-Know 2026-27

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Our school district receives federal funds for Title I programs that are part of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), which was signed into law in December 2015 and reauthorized the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1956 (ESEA), replacing No Child Left Behind (NCLB). One of the conditions for receiving these funds is to notify parents/guardians of their right to request and to receive information regarding the professional qualifications of their child's teachers and paraprofessionals. Florida Atlantic University Schools is committed to providing you with information regarding the qualifications of any teacher or paraprofessional that works with your child.

By law, you have the right to request the following information, which will be provided in a timely manner:

- Whether your child's teacher has met state 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 qualifications of licensing criteria have been waived.
- The degree and major of the teacher and any other graduate certification or degree held by the teacher, and the field of discipline of the certification or degree.
- Whether your child is provided services by paraprofessionals, and, if so, their qualifications.

ESSA includes additional right-to-know requests. At any time, parents can request information on policies regarding student participation in assessments and procedures for opting out. In addition, you will also be notified in writing if your child has been assigned or has been taught for more than four (4) consecutive weeks by a teacher/substitute teacher who does not meet applicable State certification or licensure requirements at the grade level and subject area in which the teacher has been assigned.

If you would like to receive any of the above information, please feel free to call your school's principal at 561-297-3970.

Thank you for your continued interest and involvement in your child's education.

Sincerely,

Dr. Joel Herbst
Superintendent
Florida Atlantic University Schools