

Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)

The “Parents’ Right To Know,” Title I, Part A, Section 1111(h)(6) of the Every Student Succeeds Act of 2016 (ESSA), requires each local education agency (LEA) to notify parents of each student attending school that they may request information regarding the professional qualifications of their child’s teacher(s).

The information regarding the professional qualifications of the student’s classroom teacher(s) will include, at a minimum, the following:

1. Whether the teacher has met state qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction.
2. Whether the teacher is teaching under emergency or other provisional status through which State qualification or licensing criteria have been waived.
3. The baccalaureate degree 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.
4. Whether the child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their qualifications.

In addition to the information that parents may request, districts must provide to each individual parent information on the achievement level of the parent’s child in each of the state academic assessments as required under this part: and timely notice that the parent’s child has been assigned, or has been taught for four or more consecutive weeks by, a teacher who is not highly qualified.

The Grandview R-II Board of Education will comply with the requirements related to Parents’ Right-to-Know and Parental Notification. Each school will be provided a copy of this plan, and the LEA will revise the plan each year as necessary.