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Right to Know Professional Qualifications of Teachers and Paraprofessionals



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Dear Parent(s)/Guardian(s):

In compliance with the requirements of the Every Student Succeeds Act, the **Academy of Richmond County** would like to inform you that you may request information about the professional qualifications of your student's teacher(s) and/or paraprofessional(s). The following may be requested:

- Whether the student's teacher ----
 - has met the state qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;
 - is teaching under an emergency or other provisional status through which Georgia qualification or licensing criteria have been waived; and
 - is teaching in the field of discipline of the certification of the teacher.

- Whether your child is provided services by paraprofessionals, and if so, their qualifications.

Please know that our staff is committed to helping your child reach his or her highest academic potential throughout their school career. That commitment includes making sure that all our teachers and paraprofessionals are highly skilled and are providing quality instruction to your child.

If you wish to request information concerning your child's teachers' and/or paraprofessional's qualifications, please contact me, Mr. Medlin, your child's principal, by phone at (706) 737-7152 or by email at medlija@boe.richmond.k12.ga.us.

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

Sincerely,

Jason Medlin, Principal