

Dear Parents and Guardians:

In accordance with the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, Section 1111(h)(6) PARENTS RIGHT TO KNOW, this is a notification from Perry Township Schools to every parent of a student in a Title I school that you have the right to request and receive information in a timely manner regarding the professional qualifications of your student's classroom teachers. This information regarding the professional qualifications of your student's classroom teachers shall include the following:

- If the teacher has met state qualification and licensing criteria for the grade level and subject areas taught;
- ·If the teacher is teaching under emergency or temporary status in which Indiana qualifications and licensing criteria are waived;
- ·The teachers baccalaureate degree major, graduate certification, and field of discipline; and
- ·Whether the student is provided services by paraprofessionals, and if so, their qualifications

I encourage you to support your child's education and communicate with your child's teachers(s) on a regular basis. As we are aware, a child's success in school depends on the team we build around them. This includes parents, teachers, support staff, administrators, peers and community members. If you would like more information concerning the Elementary and Secondary Act and the role of parents, please visit either the Indiana Department of Education website (https://www.doe.in.gov/idoe/parent-portal) or the United States Department of Education (https://www.ed.gov/).

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs. Jane Pollard (<u>jpollard@perryschools.org</u>) and Mr. David Walpole (<u>dwalpole@perryschools.org</u>).