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Dear Parent or Guardian:

We are pleased to inform you that your child is attending a Title I School, which is supported through federal funds from the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). This grant is available to help students with academic difficulties by providing extra help in reading and math. It also supports various professional development programs that keep our teachers abreast of new instructional programs. You may be interested to know that under this legislation, parents or guardians are entitled to the following information:

- whether your child's classroom teacher has met New York State qualification and 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 qualification or licensing criteria have been waived;
- the baccalaureate degree major of the teacher and any other graduate certification or degree held by the teacher; and
- whether your child is provided services by paraprofessionals and if so, their qualifications.

Furthermore, you will be notified in writing in the unlikely event that a long-term substitute teacher without proper certification is hired to replace your child's classroom teacher for a period of four weeks or longer.

Should you care to learn about these qualifications in general or your child's classroom teacher's qualification, please contact the building principal's office of your child's school. Your request will then be forwarded to the Superintendent's Office where a response will be provided to you.

We welcome this additional funding, which will be shared, by all our eight schools. We are experiencing a productive and enjoyable school year and look forward to seeing you at our many school functions.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Stacey J. Morgan". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Stacey J. Morgan, Ph.D.
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cc: Sharon Amanda Dungee, Superintendent of Schools
Mr. Matera, Principal
All Building Principals