

Lower Kuskokwim School District

Right to Request Teacher Qualifications

Dear Parent or Guardian:

The **Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015** requires school districts that receive Title I funds to notify parents that they can ask for and receive specific information about a teacher's qualifications.

You have the right to request information regarding the professional qualifications of your child's classroom teacher(s). If you request this information, the district or school will provide you with the following as soon as possible:

- a) Whether the teacher has met the state's certification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subjects in which the teacher is providing instruction.
- b) Whether the state has waived its qualification and licensing criteria to permit the teacher to teach on an emergency or other provisional basis.
- c) Whether the teacher is teaching in the field of discipline of his/her certification.
- d) Whether teachers' aides or similar paraprofessionals provide services to your child and, if they do, their qualifications.

If you would like to request this information, please contact your school principal or the LKSD Personnel Department:

**LKSD
ATTN: Personnel Department
P.O. Box 305
Bethel, AK 99559-0305**

Thank you