

Date: August 18, 2025

RE: Every Student Succeeds Act (Public Law 114-95), Section 1112 (e)(1)(A)

## Dear Parent/Guardian:

You have the right to know about the teaching qualifications of your child's classroom teacher in a school receiving Title I funds. The federal Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) requires that any school district receiving Title I funds must notify parents of each student attending any school receiving Title I funds that they may request, and the district will provide the parents on request (and in a timely manner), information regarding the professional qualifications of the student's classroom teachers, *including 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. Whether the teacher is teaching in the field of discipline of the certification of the teacher; and
- 4. Whether your child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their Qualifications.

You may request the information by calling me at (419) 996-3297 or emailing me at lwells@spartan.limacityschools.org. Be sure to give the following information with your request:

\*Student full name

\*Parent/guardian full name

\*School Building

\*Teacher name

Sincerely,

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