PARENTS’ RIGHT TO KNOW

Dear Parents and Guardians:

In accordance with the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, Section 1111(h)(6) Parents’ Right To Know, this notification from the Penn-Harris-Madison School Corporation is to every parent of a student in a Title I school. All parents have the right to request and receive information in a timely manner regarding the professional qualifications of your student’s classroom teacher. 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;
- Whether the student is provided services by paraprofessionals, and if so, their qualifications

If at any time a teacher that is not highly qualified has taught your student for 4 or more consecutive weeks, the school will notify you of this information.

If you have questions or concerns, please feel free to contact the school principal at your child’s school.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

Dr. Jerry Thacker
Superintendent of Schools

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