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Dear Parents and Guardians:

Maple Elementary is one of three Avon elementary schools that receives Federal Title I funds to assist students in meeting state achievement standards. In accordance with the Elementary and Secondary Education Act, Section 1111(h)(6) PARTENTS' RIGHT TO KNOW, you have the right to request and receive information in a timely manner regarding the professional qualifications of the classroom staff working with your child.

At any time, you may ask:

- Whether the teacher met state qualifications and certification requirements for the grade level he/she is teaching,
- If the teacher is teaching under emergency or temporary status in which Indiana qualifications and licensing criteria are waived,
- The teacher's baccalaureate degree major, graduate certification, and field of discipline, and
- Whether the student is provided services by paraprofessionals, and if so, their qualifications,
- What undergraduate or graduate degrees the teacher hold, including graduate certificates and additional degrees, and major(s) or area(s) of concentration.

Several years ago, Maple was identified as a Schoolwide Title 1 building. As a result of this identification, all students are eligible to receive Title 1 services. You will be notified by Maple if at any time, a teacher not highly qualified has taught your student for four or more consecutive weeks.

We are committed to helping your child develop the academic knowledge and critical thinking she/he needs to succeed in school and beyond. That commitment includes making sure that all our teachers and instructional assistants meet applicable Indiana state requirements.

As principal of Maple, I am proud to have Mrs. Lynch, Miss Frobose, and Mrs. Morey supporting our students. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at 544-6400.

Sincerely,

Nikki Harrison, Principal



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