

Right to Review Teacher Qualifications

Dear PVSchools Parents,

We are pleased to notify you that, in accordance with the Elementary and Secondary Education Act ([ESEA](#)), parents of students attending a Title I school have the right to request information regarding the professional qualifications of their child's classroom teacher(s). Federal law requires the district to provide this information in a timely manner upon request. Specifically, you may request the following information about each of your child's classroom teachers:

- Whether ADE has licensed or qualified the teacher for the grades and subjects he or she teaches.
- Whether ADE has decided that the teacher can teach in a classroom without being licensed or qualified under state regulations because of special circumstances.
- The teacher's college major; whether the teacher has any advanced degrees and, if so, the subject of the degrees.
- Whether the child is provided services by Instructional Assistants and, if so, their qualifications.

If you have questions or would like to receive this information, please contact the front office of your child's school. This information can also be found directly by accessing the Arizona Department of Education's [OACIS website](#).

Sincerely,



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