

# Ruidoso Municipal Schools

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Dear Parent,

The Ruidoso Municipal School District is committed to providing your child with a quality education. We continue to follow our vision statement and strive for excellence in all areas. We consistently search for highly qualified employees in all positions, and we are proud of the fact that our teaching staff has one of the highest ratings for training and experience in the state. The district provides numerous professional development opportunities for all staff in order to continually increase their knowledge and skills.

We are a school district that receives Title 1 funds and according to Title 1, part A requirements, you may request, and we will provide, information regarding professional qualifications of your child's classroom teacher and school principal including, at a minimum, the following:

- Whether the teacher has met NMPED qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher currently provides instruction;
- Whether the teacher is working under an internship license;
- The baccalaureate degree major of the teacher, any other graduate certification or degree held by the teacher, and the field or discipline of the certification or degree; and
- Whether the child is provided services by paraprofessional who provides instruction under the direct supervision of and in close proximity with a qualified teacher, if so, the paraprofessional's qualifications.

Additionally, you may request the following:

- Information on the level of achievement of your child in each of the state academic assessments
- Timely notice that your child has been assigned to, or has been taught for four or more consecutive weeks, by a teacher who is not highly qualified.

If you would like this information, please contact Cora Barsana, Director of Support Services, at 630-7001.

Sincerely,

Michelle Perry  
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