MIDDLE COUNTRY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT



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Dear Parent/Guardian:

Each year, the Middle Country Central School District receives federal monies based upon the number of children who qualify for free and reduced lunch. The following schools in our district have been designated as Title I schools:

- Hawkins Path Elementary School
- New Lane Memorial Elementary School
- Oxhead Road Elementary School
- Stagecoach Elementary School

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that under the requirements of the federal government's Every Student Succeeds Act, parents of children who attend Title I schools must be informed that they are entitled to the following information upon request:

- a. if teachers have met State qualifications and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which they provide instruction;
- b. if any teachers are teaching under emergency or other provisional status through which State qualification or licensing criteria have been waived;
- c. the baccalaureate degree major of the teachers and any other graduate certification or degree held by the teachers, and the field of discipline of the certification or degree;
- d. if the child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their qualifications;
- e. information concerning your child's level of achievement in each of the State academic assessments; and
- f. notification if your child has been assigned, or has been taught for four or more consecutive weeks by a teacher who is not highly qualified.

If you have any questions regarding the information contained in this letter, please do not hesitate to contact your child's principal.

Respectfully,

Roberta A. Gerold, Ed.D. Superintendent of Schools

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