

Mount Mahogany Elementary
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Dear Parents,

The federal Elementary and Secondary Education Act, as amended by the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), requires schools that receive Title I, Part A funds to notify parents or legal guardians when their child has been taught for four (4) consecutive weeks by a teacher who has not met "applicable State certification or licensure requirements at the grade level and subject area in which the teacher has been assigned." [[ESSA](#) Sec. 1112(e)(1)(b)(ii)]

In Utah, this notification requirement is for any teacher teaching under a **letter of authorization or Alternative Route to Licensure**. In some cases, teaching assignments are filled with teachers who have been issued a letter **of authorization or Alternative Route to Licensure** when regular certified teachers were not available to hire or were absent for an extended period of time.

As of the date of this letter, all general education and special education teachers have fulfilled all requirements to work under a professional teaching license. No general education or special education teachers work under a **letter of authorization or Alternative Route to Licensure**.

If you have any questions regarding the qualifications of your child's teacher, please contact **John Emett** at Phone **801-610-8113**

Sincerely,

John Emett
Principal Mount Mahogany