



**Kenmore-Town of Tonawanda
Union Free School District**
Holmes Elementary School

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To: All Holmes Elementary Parents, Guardians, and Community Members

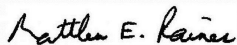
Re: **Teacher Qualification Statement for Title 1**

Your child attends a school in the Kenmore-Town of Tonawanda District that receives money for Title 1 services we are required to provide you with certain information. Please see the following information:

- All teachers employed by the District have met State Qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction.
- There are no teachers working under emergency or other provisional status where the licensing criteria have been waived.
- Initial instruction to students is always provided by a teacher, not a paraprofessional. When paraprofessionals or teacher aides work with students, they are following the lesson plans created by the teacher.

If you have any questions regarding certification of a teacher or qualifications for paraprofessionals, please contact the building administrator for assistance.

Sincerely,



Matthew E. Raines