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ANNUAL TITLE I NOTIFICATIONS

At Midland Innovation + Technology Charter School, we are very proud of our teachers and feel they are prepared to provide your child with a high-quality education. As a Title I school, we must meet federal regulations related to teacher qualifications as defined in the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA). These rules allow you to learn more about your student's teachers, regarding their training and credentials.

As noted by ESEA, you may always request more information about your student's teachers. At any time, you may ask:

- Whether the teacher has met state qualifications and certification requirements for the grade level and subject that he/she is teaching, and
- Whether the teacher has received an emergency or conditional certificate through which state qualifications were waived, and
- What undergraduate or graduate degrees the teacher holds, including graduate certificates and additional degrees, and majors, or areas of concentration.
- You may also ask whether your child receives help from a paraprofessional. If your child receives this assistance, you may request information about the paraprofessional's qualifications.

Our staff is committed to helping your child develop the academic knowledge and critical thinking he/she needs to succeed in school and beyond. That commitment includes making sure that all of our teachers and paraprofessionals are dedicated and skilled professionals. At MITCS, all academic teachers are considered to be highly qualified by the Pennsylvania Department of Education.

If you have any questions about your child's assignment to a teacher or paraprofessional, please visit the school's website at www.mitcharterschool.org. Here you will find more information regarding the Right-To-Know process for obtaining records in Pennsylvania.

Additionally, the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), which was signed into law in December 2015, and reauthorizes the ESEA, includes additional Right-To-Know requests. At any time parents and family members can request:

- Information on policies regarding student participation in assessments and procedures for opting out, and
- Information on required assessments that include
 - subject matter tested,
 - purpose of the test,
 - source of the requirement (if applicable),
 - amount of time it takes students to complete the test, and
 - time and format of disseminating results.

If you have any questions regarding policies or information regarding state assessments, please contact your student's respective school counselor.