



The Highly Qualified Status of Teachers

Notice to Parents (12/1/2019)

December 1, 2019

Dear Parent(s) and Guardian(s):

Under the provisions of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA), districts and schools receiving federal assistance in the form of Title monies must state the highly qualified status of teachers. The government defines highly qualified as being a Missouri state certified teacher in the grade level and subject area in which the teacher is teaching. In addition, teachers that are not considered highly-qualified are required to have a teacher mentor. Lift for Life Academy instructional staff who do not meet the definition of highly-qualified are below.

Ms. Sally Owens, 7th Grade Math
Ms. Alexis Cook, HS Family and Consumer Sciences-Fashion
Ms. Jasmine Ray, 8th Grade Math
Mr. Eric Johnson, MS and HS Music
Mr. Yang Ai, Chinese
Mr. Jeremiah Reed, HS Science
Ms. Kimberly Burke, HS English
Mr. Spencer Davis, HS English
Mr. Sam Golden, part-time Music Production
Ms. Riv Dunn, part-time PE/Yoga
Mr. Tyrone Moore, Cooking
Mr. Jessie Porter, 7th Grade ELA
Mr. Robert Bass, HS PE/Health
Mr. Torrey Davie, HS PE
Ms. Chanel Brown, HS PE

If you have any questions concerning the highly qualified status of teachers, please contact the building principal at 314-231-2337.

Sincerely,

David LeMay

Dr. David LeMay, High School Principal and Federal Programs Coordinator