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Colson Elementary School



February 9, 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian,

All educators in Florida are monitored to ensure they meet certification and training requirements as mandated by law. Per Florida Statue 1012.42, when a teacher is assigned teaching duties out of field in which the teacher is certified, the parents of all students in the class should be notified in writing.

Hillsborough County Public Schools is committed to providing quality instruction for all students and does so by employing the most qualified individuals to teach and support each student in the classroom. The district is assisting our teachers by developing *Individual Professional Development Plan* to complete the requirements needed to become in-field.

All of our teachers are certified to teach, although some of them are currently out-of-field and are working on additional areas of certification. You have the right to know the professional qualifications of the teachers or paraprofessionals who instruct your child. Federal law allows you to ask for certain information about your child's teachers and requires us to give you this information in a timely manner if you ask for it. If you would like more information, please contact the school at (813)744-8031.

The table below lists teachers who are currently out of field.

Sincerely,

Ms. Rebecca Black
 Principal

Teacher	Class Taught Assignments	Assignment Start Date	Certification(s) Held	Out-Field Area/Classes
Kimberly Benton	Gifted	7/27/2005	Elem Ed K-6; ESOL	Gifted Endorsement
Cheslea Donaldson	Grade 4	7/1/2014	Elem Ed k-6; ESOL	Reading Endorsement
Karen Jones-Boone	Grade 2	7/28/2004	PreKindergarten; Primary Education	Reading Endorsement
Stephanie Bernaldo	Grade 2 VE	7/1/2013	Elem 1-6; ESOL; Primary Education	Reading Endorsement ESE
Ada Gordils	Grade 3	1/3/2018	Elem Ed K-6	Reading Endorsement
Kirsten McKelvey	Grade 5	7/12/2018	Elem Ed K-6	Reading Endorsement
Kelly Stovall	Grade 4	7/25/20056	Elem Ed K-6; ESE and Reading Endorsement	ESOL
Kristen Slater	Grade K VE	11/15/2021	6-12 Earth Space Science	ESOL, Reading Endorsement, Elem. Ed., Exceptional Student Educ
Austin Willis	Grade 3	8/2/2023	Elem Ed K-6	ESOL, Reading Endorsement