



CROOKED RIVER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Title I Reward School 2012 - 2017

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Dear Parent or Guardian,

We are very proud of our Crooked River Elementary School teachers. We feel they are ready for the coming school year and are prepared to help your child do his or her best in school. As a Title I School, we are required by federal law, Every Student Succeeds Act of 2015 (ESSA), to let you know about your child's teachers' qualifications. It is your right to request the following information about your child's teachers' training and credentials:

- Whether the teacher met the state requirements from the Georgia Professional Standards Commission for certification for the grade level and subject area which they teach;
- Whether the teacher is teaching under an emergency or other temporary status through which Georgia qualifications or certification criteria have been waived;
- What undergraduate or graduate degree(s) the teacher holds, including graduate certificates and additional degrees, and major(s) or area(s) of concentration; and
- Whether your child is provided services by paraprofessionals, and if so, their qualifications.

Please know that our staff is committed to helping your child reach his or her highest academic potential throughout his or her school career. That commitment includes making sure that all of our teachers and paraprofessionals are highly skilled and are providing quality instruction to your child.

If you wish to request information concerning your child's teachers' and or paraprofessional's qualifications, please contact me, Shawny Thorpe, your child's principal, by phone at (912) 673 - 6995 or by email at sthorpe@camden.k12.ga.us.

Thank you for your interest and involvement in your child's education. If you have additional questions or concerns, please contact me at (912) 673 - 6995.

Sincerely,

Shawny Thorpe

Principal, Crooked River Elementary School