

**What is Title I?**

Title I, Part A of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act (ESEA) provides financial assistance to states and school districts to meet the needs of educationally at-risk students. The goal of Title I is to provide extra instructional services and activities which support students identified as failing or most at risk of failing the state's challenging performance standards in mathematics, reading, and writing.

**Notice**

Under Title 1A regulations, the Dalton-Nunda Central School District is required to report that none of our students are eligible for school choice. We are happy to report that all of our schools met Adequate Yearly Progress according to the New York State Education Department and the guidelines established by No Child Left Behind Legislation.

**Parent's Right to Know Notification**

The Dalton-Nunda Central School District receives funds from the Title I, Part A program, in order to help children reach high academic standards. In receiving funds from this program, and as a parent of a student attending the Dalton-Nunda Central School District, you have the right to receive, upon request to the district, certain information as authorized by federal law regarding the professional qualifications of the children's classroom teachers. Parents have the right to request the following information:

- Whether the teacher has met NYS Education Department qualifications and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas he/she teaches;
- Whether the teacher is teaching under emergency or other provisional status through which NYS Education Department qualifications or licensing criteria have been waived due to special circumstances;
- The teacher's college major (undergraduate level); whether the teacher has any graduate certifications or degrees and, if so, the field of discipline of the certification or degree;
- Whether your child is provided services by any teaching assistants and, if so, their qualifications.

If you wish to receive this information, please contact your child's school principal. You will also receive timely notice if your child is, for whatever reason, is assigned or has been taught for four or more consecutive weeks by a teacher who is not highly qualified. A highly qualified teacher would be defined as a teacher that meets the New York State's qualifications and licensing criteria for the grade level or subject area in which the teacher is providing instruction.