

Florence School District Two

Federal Grants Newsletter

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General Information

Title 1 is a federal grant to meet the **Special Educational Needs of the Educationally Deprived Children under Title 1 of Public Law 107-110**. The funds provided enable Hannah-Pamplico Elementary/Middle School to provide opportunities for children to acquire the knowledge and skills to meet the state performance standards. These opportunities are outlined in a school-wide plan that includes a comprehensive needs assessment, professional development, reform strategies and a description of how the funds will be utilized. If you have any questions or would like a copy of the plan, please contact Charles Hyman at (843) 493-2502 or email at chyman@fsd2.org

Parent's Right to Know

As a parent of a student enrolled at Hannah-Pamplico Elementary/Middle School, you have the right to know the professional qualifications of the classroom teachers and instructional assistants who instruct your child. Federal law allows you to ask the following information about your child's classroom teachers and requires the district to give you this information in a timely manner:

- Whether the teacher/paraprofessional has met the South Carolina certification requirements for the grade level and subject area(s) in which the teacher provides instruction.
- Whether the teacher is teaching under an emergency or other provisional status through which South Carolina qualifications or certification criteria have been waived.
- The college major and any graduate certification or degree held by the teacher.
- Whether the student is provided services by paraprofessionals, and if so, their qualifications.

POINTS OF INTEREST

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If you have any questions about the above or desire any information, please contact the school and speak with Mr. Legrande Richardson. The telephone number is (843) 493-5588 or Email lrichardson@fsd2.org

Parent Involvement

We are very interested in your thoughts about how we can improve our school. Please feel free to contact us with any suggestions that you have. Please get involved by attending events and being a member of the PTO. Thank you for supporting our schools and helping build foundations for your children.

ESSA TITLE II

The purpose of ESSA Title II, Part A, is to help all schools have effective teachers with subject matter knowledge and teaching skills necessary to help all children achieve high academic standards. The goal of Florence School District Two is to make sure all our professional staff is highly qualified. Questions, please contact Charles Hyman at (843) 493-9209 or email chyman@fsd2.org

Title III

Title III is responsible for the oversight of the instruction provided for our Limited English proficient and immigrant students. Florence Two strives to:

- Help students develop proficiency in English
- Promote best practices for helping meet the needs of English language learners
- Promote collaboration among federal, state and local programs serving English language learners.

Questions, please contact Dr. Belinda Cain at (843) 493- 9216 or email bcain@fsd2.org

McKinney- Vento Homeless

The purpose of this act is to ensure that homeless students have equal access to the same free, appropriate public education provided to all children in South Carolina. Florence Two has developed guidelines to remove any barriers to enrollment, attendance and success in school that homeless children and youth may experience. Questions, please contact Charles Hyman at (843) 493- 9209 or email chyman@fsd2.org