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Dear Hillandale Elementary School Family:

We hope that you and your family had a good first quarter this year. We are thrilled to have your student here at Hillandale Elementary School, and we are looking forward to the day that we can all be back in school together.

Our school is proud to be a Title 1 School, which means that we receive additional funding that supports student learning. Title 1 schools must communicate about opportunities for parents to be involved in school and about your rights as a parent.

Our school conducts a variety of Parent Engagement activities each year. Even though they may look a little different this year, we know helping our families become involved with their child's education is one of the most important things we can do to help students be successful. These activities are planned with help from our parents and are designed to enhance our relationships with the school community. Please watch out for more information about these events. We'd love for you to join us!

Finally, our school is proud of our teachers and we are pleased that federal guidelines require that we provide information about their education and qualifications. You have the right to the following information:

- Whether the teacher has met the state qualifications for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;
- Whether the teacher is teaching under an emergency or other provisional status through which the state qualifications have been waived;
- What baccalaureate degrees have been earned by the teacher, along with the field of study and any other certifications;
- Whether your child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their qualifications; and
- Whether your child has received four weeks or more of instruction by a non-highly qualified teacher.

You may request this information from the school or from Shannon Marlowe, Director of Elementary Education and Title 1, at (828)697-4733

Sincerely,

Kelly Pratt, Principal



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