

Teacher Information

Federal law requires that we share with you the qualifications of teachers in the School District of West Salem. There are questions you may ask, including:

- Is my child's teacher licensed to teach the grades or subjects assigned?
- Has the state waived any requirements for my child's teacher?
- What was the college major of my child's teacher?
- What degrees does my child's teacher hold?
- Are there paraprofessionals working with my child? If so, what are their qualifications?

This notice is to inform you that all of the teachers working in the School District of West Salem have at least a bachelor's degree, and 56% have advanced degrees. In addition, all of the teachers in this school are fully licensed for their assignment. If you want to see the state qualification for your child's teacher you may contact the District Office or find it on the DPI website at <https://elo.wieducatorlicensing.org/datamart/publicSearchMenu.do> . In addition, we have 50 instructional paraprofessionals, and they all are considered qualified for this work. If you would like more information about the qualifications of any school district employee, please feel free to contact Ryan Rieber, Superintendent at 786-0700. For more information on teacher qualifications or the reporting requirement for teachers and paraprofessionals under the No Child Left Behind legislation, contact: Professional Development and Licensing at (608) 266-1788 at the Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction.