



# North Metro GNETS Program



A member of the Georgia Network for Educational and Therapeutic Support  
Serving: Atlanta Independent School District (APS), Buford City Schools, Fulton County Public Schools, and  
Gwinnett County Public Schools

## Right to Know Notification Right to Know Professional Qualifications of Teachers and Paraprofessionals

Date: 2021 – 2022 School Year

Dear Parents,

In compliance with the requirements of the Every Students Succeeds Act, our **North Metro GNETS Program located in Atlanta Public Schools, Buford City Schools, Fulton County Schools, and Gwinnett County Schools** would like to inform you that you may request information about the professional qualifications of your student's teacher(s) and/or paraprofessional(s). The following information may be requested:

- Whether the student's teacher—
  - has met State qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;
  - is teaching under emergency or other provisional status through which State qualification or licensing criteria have been waived; and
  - is teaching in the field of discipline of the certification of the teacher.
  
- Whether the child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their qualifications.

If you wish to request information concerning your child's teacher's and/ or paraprofessional's qualifications, please contact Dr. Cassandra Allen Holifield, Director of North Metro GNETS at email: [cassandra.holifield@mresa.org](mailto:cassandra.holifield@mresa.org); Telephone: 404-802-6080.

Sincerely,

*Dr. Cassandra Allen Holifield*

**Dr. Cassandra Allen Holifield, Director North Metro GNETS**