



Gilbert W. McNeal Elementary School

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

The School District of Manatee County is committed to providing high-quality instruction for all students and does so by employing the most qualified individuals to teach and support each student in the classroom. Our teachers are certified to teach, although some are currently out of field. Teachers who are listed as out-of-field are required to work toward additional areas of certification before the end of the school year according to Florida Department of Education requirements. All educators in the state of Florida are monitored to ensure they meet certification and training requirements as mandated by law.

You have the right to know the professional qualifications of the teachers who instruct your child. Per Florida Statute 1012.42, when a teacher is assigned teaching duties out of the field in which the teacher is certified, the parents/guardians of all students in the class shall be notified in writing of the teaching assignment.

Federal law allows you to ask for certain information about your child's teacher(s) and requires us to give you this information in a timely manner if asked. The table below lists teachers who are currently out-of-field. If you would like more information, please contact the school at McNeal Elementary School at 941-751-8165.

Sincerely,

Principal Sheila Waid

Teacher	Class/Course	Assignment	Certification	Out of Field
Patricia Campbell	Third Grade Teacher	8/12/2024	Pro	ESOL
Emily Cole	Fifth Grade Teacher	8/12/2024	Pro	ESOL
Andrea Diliberto	Fourth Grade	8/12/2024	Pro	ESOL
Kathryn Flesche	Fifth Grade Teacher	8/12/2024	Pro	ESOL
Bianca Masterson	Third Grade Teacher	10/15/2024	Pro	ESOL
Teresa Masterson	VE Teacher	8/12/2024	Temp	ESOL
Christina Mulligan	Third Grade Teacher	8/12/2024	Temp	ESOL