



**Martha B. King Middle School**  
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**Mike Mullen, Principal**

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**Out of Field Parent Notification Letter**

February 7, 2025

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 prior to 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 941 798-6820

Teacher	Class/Course Teaching Assignment	Assignment Start Date	Certification Held	Out of Field Class/Course
Briggs, Jonathon	Technology	7/1/24	Computer Science	Engineering & Technology
Ebert, Christian	ESE	7/1/24	Social Science	Elem Ed/ESE
Fontaine, Francine	ESE / EBD	7/1/24	Elem Ed/ESE	English/Math/Science
Galati, Natasha	ESE / ASD	7/1/24	Social Studies/ESE	Reading/ESOL/Elem Ed/English/Math/Science
Knips, Sophie	ELA	7/1/24	ELA	ESOL
Marconi, Kathy	ESE SC	7/1/24	ESE	Science/Math/Social Studies/ESOL
Perez, Charlene	ELA	7/1/24	Business Ed/Reading	English
Sharesian, Michael	ELA	7/1/24	English	In Process
Winfield, Meigan	ELA	7/1/24	ELA	ESOL
Maltay, Kwasi	Mathematics	10/29/24	None	In Process
Rhinesmith, Justin	ESE	10/29/24	None	In Process
Cunningham, Sherry	ESOL/ESOL LA	1/8/25	None	In Process

Sincerely,

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