



Joseph L. Carwise Middle School
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November 4, 2015

Dear Parents:

On January 8, 2002, the United States Congress approved the Federal *No Child Left Behind Act*. Pinellas County Public Schools is committed to following all guidelines as established by *No Child Left Behind (NCLB)*, which includes a focus on instruction requiring teachers of core academic subjects to meet criteria classifying them as highly qualified.

Your child is being taught by Derek Williams. Mr. Williams meets all state guidelines to teach in public schools and is working towards the requirements needed to become NCLB compliant in accordance with *No Child Left Behind*.

Please be assured that Pinellas County Public Schools is dedicated to providing the students of Pinellas County with highly qualified educators. Please feel free to contact me at 724-1442 if you have any questions.

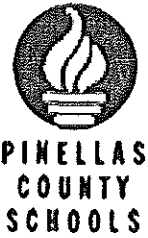
Sincerely,

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 Carwise Middle School

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

Re: Kristi Russell
Out-of Field: ESOL Endorsement

Our outstanding teachers are dedicated to our students and to the goal of having them reach their highest level of academic achievement. Our teachers are all certified by the state of Florida. In addition, they attend workshops designed to keep them current with the best strategies to help our students achieve.

Initial teacher selection and on-going determination of class assignments is a challenging process. It often becomes necessary to assign a teacher to instruct a course/subject for which he/she is not currently certified. These decisions are made with consideration to teacher competence and with a continual commitment to highest student achievement.

Teachers assigned out-of-field are chosen carefully, given additional district support and are expected to work towards appropriate certification in a timely manner.

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