

**GOOSE CREEK CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
2015-2016 PUBLIC NOTICE OF TEACHER QUALITY
(HIGHLY QUALIFIED TEACHER REPORT)**

The No Child Left Behind (NCLB) Act of 2001 requires each local education agency (LEA) to publicly report progress of the LEA and its campuses toward meeting the “highly qualified” teacher requirements.

The following standards are required to be considered a “highly qualified” teacher:

- Has obtained full Texas teacher certification
- Holds a minimum of a bachelor’s degree
- Demonstrates subject matter competency in each of the academic subjects taught

Note: Competency is obtained by passing the TExES content certification exam and/or completing 24 college hours in the subject area taught.

The District has made significant annual gains and has met the United States Department of Education and Texas Education Agency annual target of 100% “highly qualified” teachers in all core academic subject areas as defined by the No Child Left Behind Act.

The chart below contains the Goose Creek Consolidated Independent School District percentages of “highly qualified” teachers by campus, classes taught, teachers in high-poverty schools, and teachers participating in high quality staff development. These data elements are the state-wide targets as required by the United States Department of Education. The data is based on the November 18, 2015 reporting date. This report may be amended in June 2016, if deemed necessary.

Annual Target	Percentage of Classes Taught by HQ Teachers (State Aggregate)	Percentage of Classes Taught by HQ Teachers (High- Poverty Schools)	Percentage of HQ Teachers (State Aggregate)	Percentage of Teachers Receiving High Quality Professional Development (State Aggregate)
State 2006-2007 and Beyond Target	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Alamo Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Ashbel Smith Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Austin Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Bañuelos Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Bowie Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Carver Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Clark Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Crockett Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
DeZavala Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Harlem Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Highlands Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Hopper Primary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Lamar Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
San Jacinto Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Travis Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Walker Elementary	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Baytown Junior	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Cedar Bayou Junior	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Gentry Junior	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Highlands Junior	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Horace Mann Junior	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Peter E. Hyland	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
POINT	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Goose Creek Memorial High	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Lee High	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Sterling High	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Impact Early College High School	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

Source: <http://www.tea.state.tx.us/nclb/hqreport.html>