



**Bedford Hills Elementary School**  
**Sherri Steele, Principal**

Dear Parents:

As a parent of a student at **Bedford Hills**, receiving Title I, Part A funds, you have the right to know the state accreditation and federal accountability status of our school. For the 2020-2021 (based on spring 2020 testing- no testing occurred due to Covid-19) school year, **Bedford Hills** current accreditation status is: **Accreditation Waived**. Our status from the previous school year (based on Spring 2019 testing) was **Accredited**. You may find additional information about our state accreditation status and federal accountability results on the Virginia School Quality Profiles page on the Virginia Department of Education website:

<https://schoolquality.virginia.gov/schools/bedford-hills-elementary>

Additionally, you have the right to know the professional qualifications of the classroom teachers instructing your child(ren). Federal law requires the school division to provide you this information in a timely manner if you request it. Specifically, you have the right to request the following information about each of your child's classroom teachers:

- Whether the teacher(s) have met state qualifications and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas in which the teacher provides instruction;
- Whether the teacher(s) are teaching under emergency or other provisional status because of special circumstances;
- Whether the teacher is teaching in the field of discipline of the certification or degree he/she has received;
- Whether paraprofessionals provide services to your child and if so, their qualifications.

If you would like to receive hard copies of any of this information, please contact **Sherri Steele**, Principal, **Bedford Hills** at (434) 515-5210 or in writing at **4330 Morningside Dr. Lynchburg, VA 24503**.