

## CITY OF PALMS CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL



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## **SPECIAL NEWSLETTER**

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## Parental Notification for Out-of-Field Teachers

Florida State Board Rule 6A-1.0503(4) requires that the School Board must approve all instructional personnel who are assigned to teach "out-of-field". In addition, per Florida Statutes 1012.42(2), all parents of students being taught by a teacher who is "out-of-field" must be notified. This includes teachers who are "out-of-field" in ESOL (English as a Second Language).

In order to meet state requirements, the names and subject areas of all "out-of-field" teachers must be published in the parent newsletter. This does not mean that your student's teacher is not qualified to do a good job in the subject area they are teaching. This means that the state has updated certification requirements to teach the course and the teacher may need to pass a subject-area certification test or need to meet other additional requirements to be considered "in-field".

The teachers listed below are considered "out-of-field" for the FY20 fall semester:

Robert Wagonaar Science - Earth Science; Biology; Environmental Science; Physical Science

Robin Perkins Matthews
English – English I; English II; English IV - College Prep English

Robin Perkins Matthews and Robert Wagonaar are considered "out-of-field" in ESOL for the FY20 fall semester.

Please do not hesitate to call if you have any questions regarding this information.