

## ANNUAL NOTICES

### Compliance Officer

The Student Services Supervisor is the district's Section 504 Compliance Officer/ADA Coordinator ("Compliance Officer"). The Compliance Officer is responsible for coordinating the district's efforts to comply with and fulfill its responsibilities under Section 504 and Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act ("ADA").

A copy of the Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans with Disabilities Act, including copies of their implementing regulations, may be obtained from the Compliance Officer. The Compliance Officer can be reached at: 4880 West Pike, Zanesville, OH 43701.

### Federal Assistance Project

West Muskingum School District will again participate in the flow-thru Part B-IDEA federal assistance project for the education of children with disabilities.

If you know a child who is suspected of having a disability or you wish to comment on the federal flow-thru project, contact the administration center at 455-4052.

## Title I: Requirement of Parent's Right to Know

In accordance with the requirement of Federal law, for each school receiving Title I funds, the West Muskingum superintendent shall make sure that all parents in the school are notified that they may request, and the Board will provide the following information on the student's classroom teachers:

- A. whether the teacher(s) have met the State qualification and licensing criteria for the grade levels and subject areas they are teaching;
- B. whether the teacher(s) is teaching under any emergency or provisional status in which the State requirements have been waived;

- C. the undergraduate major of the teacher(s) and the area of study and any certificates for any graduate degrees earned;
- D. the qualifications of any paraprofessionals providing services to their child(ren);

In addition, the parents shall be provided:

- E. information on the level of achievement of their child(ren) on the required State academic assessments;
- F. timely notice if the student is assigned to a teacher who is not "highly qualified" as required, or if the student is taught for more than four (4) weeks by a teacher who is not highly qualified.

*(Title I buildings in West Muskingum include: WMMS, Hopewell and Falls elementaries)*

## Nondiscrimination in Education

The Board of Education declares it to be the policy of this district to provide an equal opportunity for all students, regardless of race, color, creed, disability, age, religion, gender, ancestry, national origin, place of residence within the boundaries of the district, or social or economic background, to learn through the curriculum offered in this district.

If any person believes that the West Muskingum School District or any of

the district's staff has inadequately applied the principles and/or regulations of (1) Title II, VI, and VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, (2) Title IX of the Education Amendment Act of 1972, (3) Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, (4) The Age Act, and (5) The Americans with Disabilities Act, s/he may bring forward a complaint, which shall be referred to as a grievance, to the district's Civil Rights Coordinator.

Inquiries concerning the nondiscrimi-

natory policy may be directed to Director, Office for Civil Rights, Department of Education, Washington, D.C. 20201.

The district's coordinator, on request, will provide a copy of the district's grievance procedure and investigate all complaints in accordance with this procedure. A copy of each of the Acts and the regulations on which this notice is based, may be found in the district office.