



# Brooks DeBartolo Collegiate High School

A Public Charter School of Choice sponsored by Hillsborough County Public Schools  
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Dear Parents/Guardians:

All educators in Florida are monitored to ensure they meet certification and training requirements as mandated by law. Per Florida Statute 1012.42, when a teacher is assigned teaching duties out of the field in which the teacher is certified, the parents of all students in the class shall be notified in writing.

Brooks DeBartolo Collegiate High School is committed to providing quality instruction for all students and does so by employing the most qualified individuals to teach and support each student in the classroom. We have a process for assisting our teachers in developing an *Individual Professional Development Plan* to complete the requirements needed to become in-field and/or highly qualified.

All of our teachers are certified to teach, although some of them are currently out-of-field and are working towards areas of certification. You have the right to know the professional qualifications of the teachers or paraprofessionals who instruct your child. Federal law allows you to ask for certain information about your child's teachers and requires us to give you this information in a timely manner if you ask for it. If you would like more information, please contact the school at 813-971-5600.

The table below lists teachers who are currently out-of-field.

Sincerely,

Kristine Bennett  
Principal

Teacher	Classes Taught Assignment(s)	Assignment Start Date	Certification(s) Held	Out-of-Field Area/Classes
Andrew Burdick	Weight Training 1 and 2 Biology	August 8, 2018	Biology 6-12 Physics 6-12	Physical Education
Areon Atkinson	Driver Education Basketball Team Sports	August 31, 2020	Health Physical Education Prekindergarten/Primary Education	Driver Education

Please Note: Mr. Andrew Burdick has passed the Subject Area Exam for Physical Education and is waiting for the subject area to be added to his certificate.  
 Mr. Areon Atkinson is pursuing the Driver Education Endorsement this academic year.