Feb. 23, 2015  [emailed to tbrown@kcud229.org]

Tamara Brown
Irving School KCUD 229

Dear Principal Brown:

This letter is in response to your request for information under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act. Your two requests were received on Feb. 13, 2015.

You have requested “1. The most recent Program Proposal form results for teacher preparation programs of all Illinois Public Universities and Colleges along with the identification of each college or university that submitted the forms; 2. The results of the Illinois Professional Teaching Standards redesign for all the public universities in Illinois in regards to their curriculum within the colleges of education.”

On Feb. 18, ISBE’s Megan Griffin contacted you via email seeking clarification for the records you seek. You clarified that you were seeking programming within the colleges of education, specifically, the courses pertaining to teacher preparation.

Per your email conversation with Megan Griffin on Feb. 20, you narrowed your request to include only a list of Illinois approved education programs and institutions. We advised that more current program and course information would be available directly from the institutions’ course catalogs, which are typically available online at university websites.

The following document (15-228-brown-doc.xls) has been provided in response to your request. All programs in the attached document were approved based on the Illinois Professional Teaching Standards redesign. Please note the only programs that would not be included in the Illinois Professional Teaching Standards are advanced programs such as administration.

If you have questions, please contact Megan Griffin at (217) 782-4648 or mgriffin@isbe.net.

Sincerely,

Matt Vanover
Director of Public Information

Attachment