



12th GRADE LAUSD AND STATE SEALS OF BILITERACY

The LAUSD and State Seals of Biliteracy acknowledge high school graduates with high proficiency in one or more languages in addition to English. Earning the State Seal grants the LAUSD Seal.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

DEMONSTRATE PROFICIENCY THROUGH COURSEWORK **OR** ASSESSMENT:

COURSEWORK

Complete all English language arts (ELA) graduation requirements with an overall grade point average (GPA) of **3.0** in those classes.



ASSESSMENT

Option 1:



Pass 11th grade English Language Arts Smarter Balanced Assessment at or above "standard met" level. **OR**

Option 2:



Pass AP English Language and Composition or Literature or Composition, or AP Seminar exam with a score of 3 or higher. **OR**

Option 3:



Pass an English International Baccalaureate (IB) exam with a 4+ or higher. **OR**

Option 4:



Achieve a score of 480 or above on the Evidence-Based Reading and Writing sections of the SAT.



In addition to the requirements mentioned above, students who are classified English Learners must attain an oral composite score of level 4 on the English Language Proficiency Assessment for California (ELPAC) to earn the **State Seal of Biliteracy**.

LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH REQUIREMENT

DEMONSTRATE PROFICIENCY THROUGH COURSEWORK **OR** ASSESSMENT:

COURSEWORK

Complete a four-year high school course of study in the language with an overall grade point average (GPA) of **3.0** in those classes.



AND

Demonstrate oral proficiency in that language comparable to that required to pass an AP or IB exam.



Option 1:



ASSESSMENT

Pass a world language AP exam with a score of 3 or higher. **OR**

Option 2:



Pass an International Baccalaureate (IB) exam with a 4+ or higher. **OR**

Option 3:



Pass the District-approved LOTE proficiency assessment with scores of intermediate mid or higher.



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