

WHAT IS THE SEAL OF BILITERACY?

The Seal of Biliteracy is an award issued by a state department of education or local school district to recognize a graduating student who has attained proficiency in English Language Arts and one or more World Languages. The recognition of attaining biliteracy becomes part of the high school permanent record for these students. The seal certifies attainment of biliteracy for students and is a statement of accomplishment that further supports a students' preparedness for college/ career and for engagement as a global citizen.



WORLD LANGUAGE CRITERIA

Students must complete at least one of the following options with the required proficiencies and scores shown:

OPTION	MEASURE
For languages with school course offerings	Completion of 4-year course of study in a World Language with a GPA greater than or equal to 3.0
For languages with a national exam	AP World Language Exam ≥ 3 AP World Literature Exam ≥ 3 IB World Language Exam ≥ 4 AAPPL Exam for the World Language $\geq 1-4$

ENGLISH CRITERIA

Students must complete LPS English Language Arts requirements with a 3.0 or higher GPA and one of the following with the minimum score shown:

OPTION	MEASURE
SAT - Evidenced Based Reading/Writing	≥ 470
AP Literature Exam	≥ 3
AP Language Exam	≥ 3
IB English Exam	≥ 4