

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 LPS Student ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

APPLICATION DUE BY  
 JANUARY 29, 2021

### 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.



### TO EARN A SEAL OF BILITERACY THE GRADUATING STUDENT MUST:

#### 1. COMPLETE ALL ELA GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

- GPA of 3.0 or higher in required ELA credits

*\*\*\*Class of 2021-23 waive ELA grade for course taken in Spring of 2020*

#### 2. DEMONSTRATE LITERACY PROFICIENCY IN ENGLISH (COMPLETE ONE OF THE OPTIONS)

Please indicate which measure of proficiency you have or plan to have completed prior to graduation

OPTION	MEASURE
<input type="checkbox"/> SAT - Evidenced Based Reading/Writing	$\geq 470$
<input type="checkbox"/> AP Literature Exam	$\geq 3$
<input type="checkbox"/> AP Language Exam	$\geq 3$
<input type="checkbox"/> IB English Exam	$\geq 4$

#### 3. DEMONSTRATE LITERACY PROFICIENCY IN A WORLD LANGUAGE (COMPLETE ONE OF THE OPTIONS)

OPTION	MEASURE
<input type="checkbox"/> 4-year course of study in a World Language	GPA $\geq 3.0$
<input type="checkbox"/> AP World Language Exam	$\geq 3$
<input type="checkbox"/> AP World Literature Exam	$\geq 3$
<input type="checkbox"/> IB World Language Exam	$\geq 4$
<input type="checkbox"/> AAPPL Exam for the World Language	$\geq 14$

**PLEASE COMPLETE BELOW:**

By signing below, I indicate that I have provided accurate information, and understand that the information provided will be verified. Students who meet all requirements and those who may demonstrate proficiency in multiple world languages will receive only one diploma endorsement. Applicants who complete all of the requirements will be celebrated as “Candidates for Seal of Biliteracy” until all verifications are complete. Students who are confirmed and awarded will be able to obtain a transcript indicating a Seal of Biliteracy during the summer following graduation.

**STUDENT SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_

**DATE** \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT SIGNATURE** \_\_\_\_\_

**DATE** \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:**

Date Application Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved

Denied

Administrator Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Received by Registrar

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Transcript with endorsement ordered/sent

Date \_\_\_\_\_

