

Seal of Biliteracy - Intent to Participate

I have received information regarding the Seal of Biliteracy offered by the State of Illinois. By signing below, I intend to participate in a foreign language exam to achieve the Seal of Biliteracy.

There are two ways to qualify for the foreign language component of the Seal of Biliteracy.

1. The AAPPL Test – This test requires a fee of \$20 and will be administered later this spring at Lake Park. Students must earn a qualifying score on this test to earn the Seal. Students may choose between two test dates: Saturday, April 9 **or** Tuesday, April 12. Additional information about the test will follow later this spring.

Students choosing Option 1: Make checks payable to Lake Park High School. Return this form and check to Mr. Ian Smith, West Campus Assistant Principal.

2. If you are enrolled in an AP World Language course and take the AP exam you will qualify for the Seal by earning a score of 4 or 5. The test date(s) will be communicated to students.

Students choosing Option 2: Students will be notified about AP exam registration and payment information during the first week of February. No payment is required at this time; however, this form must be returned to Mr. Ian Smith, West Campus Assistant Principal.

Check a box.

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Option 1: I intend to take the AAPPL test to qualify for the Seal of Biliteracy.

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Option 2: I intend to take an AP exam to qualify for the Seal of Biliteracy.

Be aware, the qualifying proficiency score for the English component of the Seal of Biliteracy will be determined on the ACT or ACCESS exams.

Student Name: _____ Student: ID#: _____

Preferred Test Date: April 9, 8:00-11:00 am (Sat) _____ April 12, 3:00-6:00 pm (Tue) _____

Current Language Course (if any): _____ Teacher: _____

Testing Language: _____

Parent Name: _____ Parent Signature: _____

**This completed form must be returned to West Campus Assistant Principal,
Mr. Ian Smith (ismith@lphs.org), by Friday, February 12, 2016.**