

# EARN THE STATE SEAL OF BILITERACY!

## What is the State Seal of Biliteracy?

The State Seal of Biliteracy is a recognition by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction for graduating high school students who have attained a high level of proficiency in speaking, reading, and writing in one or more languages in addition to English. The State Seal of Biliteracy is marked by a gold seal affixed to the diploma or transcript.

*What are the requirements for earning the State Seal of Biliteracy?*

### ENGLISH PROFICIENCY DEMONSTRATED BY:



Passing the ELA California Assessment of Student Performance and Progress (CAASPP) at the "standard met" level or above.

AND

Current English learners must also attain an overall score of well developed on the English Language Proficiency Assessments for California (ELPAC)

Completing all requirements for a high school diploma, including completion of all English/Language Arts requirements with an overall grade point average of 2.0 or above in grades 9 through first semester grade 12.



### SECOND LANGUAGE PROFICIENCY DEMONSTRATED BY:



Assessment  
(choose one)

OR

Coursework

Passing an Advanced Placement (AP) exam with a three or above

Completing a four year high school course of study in the language with a 3.0 GPA or above (or up to Language 3 if taken at Saddleback College)



Passing an International Baccalaureate (IB) exam with a four or above

AND

Demonstrating oral proficiency in the language based on AVANT STAMP test



Passing an SAT II foreign language exam with a 600 or above

*Please see your counselor or World Language teacher for more information*

