

*Sample Program Description: Dual Language*

**Dual Language/Two Way Immersion**

Program Description: The Dual Language /Two Way Immersion program develops non-native English speaking students' fluency and literacy in English and their native language. Non-native English speaking students and native English speaking students study in both languages together. Both groups of students develop literacy in both languages. The program also helps students to succeed in academic subjects. The classes count toward graduation requirements.

**Instructional Goals:** To meet academic achievement standards for grade promotion and to become bilingual and biliterate.

**Program Components:** You son/daughter will receive instruction in the areas checked:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Reading and writing in English                            | <input type="checkbox"/> American history in English           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reading and writing in native language                    | <input type="checkbox"/> American history in native language   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Specialized instruction in English (ESL)                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Consumer education in English         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics in English                                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Consumer education in native language |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mathematics in native language                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Health in English                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Science in English  | <input type="checkbox"/> Health in native language             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Social Studies in English                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Driver's Education in English         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Social Studies in native language                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Driver's Education in native language |
| <input type="checkbox"/> History and culture of your country and the United States |  |

**Exit Procedures (Information in this section varies from district to district.)**

The school offers the Dual language/Two Way Immersion program to students in grades \_\_\_\_\_. Because the program develops literacy in both English and in the native language, students remain in the program even though they have achieved fluency in English. Our districts' expected rate of transition into the mainstream is \_\_\_\_\_ % annually.

The expected rate of graduation for high school in this program is \_\_\_\_\_ .

**Special Education Services**

For disabled students requiring specialized services, language instruction meets the objectives of the student's Individualized Education Program (IEP).

**Other Programs Offered at the School**

- Regular instruction for students who are fluent in English. Instruction is in English at all times. Native language is not used. No English as a Second language instruction is offered. The instructional goal is to meet grade appropriate academic achievement standards for grade promotion and graduation.
- Information about any other program offered may be attached.