

SIS School Year at a Glance

- April, 2021 T.B.A.
 - First Day of IAR Correction Window (No Test Results)
- May 4, 2021
 - School Year 2021 Spring Enrollment Counts Deadline
- May 5, 2021
 - DLM-AA Testing Latest End Date
- May 6, 2021
 - First Day of DLM-AA Correction Window (No Test Results)
- May, 2021 T.B.A.
 - ACCESS Preliminary Scores Posted in SIS
 - Last Day of ACCESS Preliminary Data Review
- June 30, 2021, by 4:00 p.m.
 - Seal of Biliteracy Award for SY 2020 due





- To add or to update a Seal of Biliteracy Award record the student must have a valid enrollment record in SIS by the following:
 - Enrollment record Home RCDT matches Seal of Biliteracy Award record's Home RCDT
 - Enrollment record School Year matches Seal of Biliteracy Award record's School Year
 - Enrollment is not erroneous
 - If updating Seal of Biliteracy Award record that already exists, Seal or Commendation cannot be "99"
 - Student must first be exited as Graduated in SIS





Seal of Biliteracy Award Data Elements:

- Seal or Commendation
 - 01 Seal
 - 02 Commendation
 - 99 Erroneous
- Language of Award
 - Language Codes (3 digits)





Seal of Biliteracy Award Data Elements:

Method of Demonstrating English Proficiency

- 01 English learner student meets the state proficient level on the ACCESS for ELs administered in any of grades 9-12. Can be used for both Seal and Commendation.
- 02 Student achieves a "meets" or "exceeds" level in ELA on the state academic assessment administered at the secondary level. Can be used for both Seal and Commendation.
- 03 Student obtains a composite score equivalent to Intermediate High or above (ACTFL proficiency levels) on the TOEFL, TOEIC or AAPPL or another standardized assessment meeting the requirements of 1.442(a)(1)(A)(iii) and either subsection (a)(1)(A)(i) or (ii), as applicable (including the ACT or SAT). Can be used for both Seal and Commendation.
- 04 English learner student meets the state level for part-time TBE placement on the ACCESS for ELs administered in any of grades 9-12. ONLY for Commendation.
- 05 Student obtains a composite score equivalent to Intermediate Low or above (ACTFL proficiency levels) on the TOEFL, TOEIC or AAPPL or another standardized assessment meeting the requirements of 1.442(a)(1)(A)(iii) and either subsection (a)(1)(A)(i) or (ii), as applicable. ONLY for Commendation.





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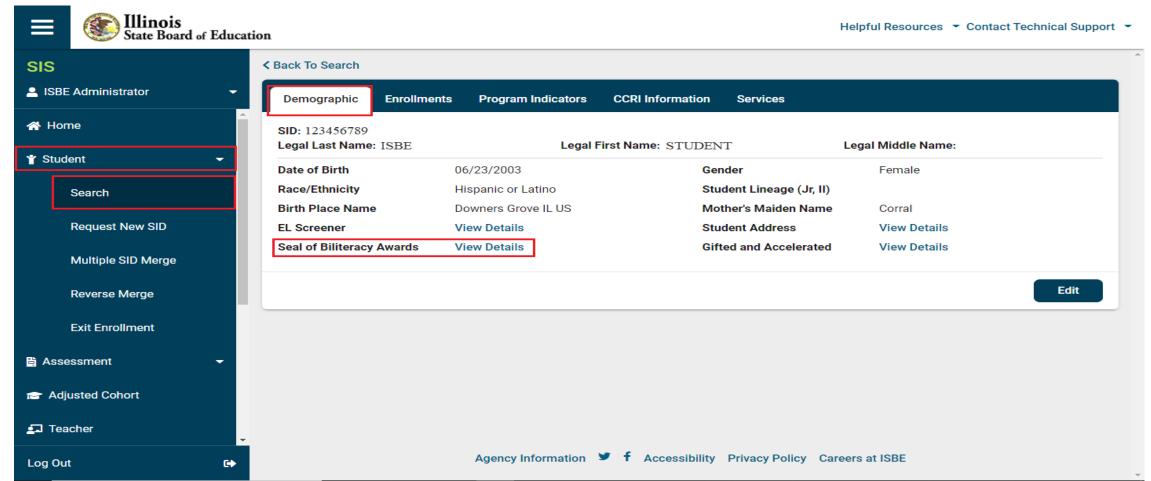
Method of Demonstrating Proficiency in Language Other than English

- 01 Student obtains a composite score equivalent to Intermediate High or above (ACTFL proficiency guidelines) on an assessment of reading, writing, listening and speaking in the target language that is accepted by ISBE (or in an assessment of reading in Latin that is accepted by ISBE). Can be used for both Seal and Commendation.
- 02 Student obtains a score equivalent to ACTFL Intermediate High level (meeting progress indicators for 12th grade set forth in the Standards for Learning American Sign Language (2014)) or above on an assessment of American Sign Language. The assessment must be designed according to research-based national or international standards for educational testing. *Can be used for both Seal and Commendation*.
- 03 Student demonstrates proficiency equivalent to ACTFL Intermediate High level or above in reading, writing, listening and speaking through the alternative evidence method. Can be used for both Seal and Commendation.
- 04 Student obtains a composite score equivalent to Intermediate Low or above (ACTFL proficiency guidelines) on an assessment of reading, writing, listening and speaking in the target language that is accepted by ISBE (or in an assessment of reading in Latin that is accepted by ISBE). ONLY for Commendation.
- 05 Student obtains a score equivalent to ACTFL Intermediate Low or above on an assessment of American Sign Language. The assessment must be designed according to research-based national or international standards for educational testing. ONLY for Commendation.
- 06 Student demonstrates proficiency equivalent to Intermediate Low or above (ACTFL proficiency guidelines) through the alternative evidence method. ONLY for Commendation.





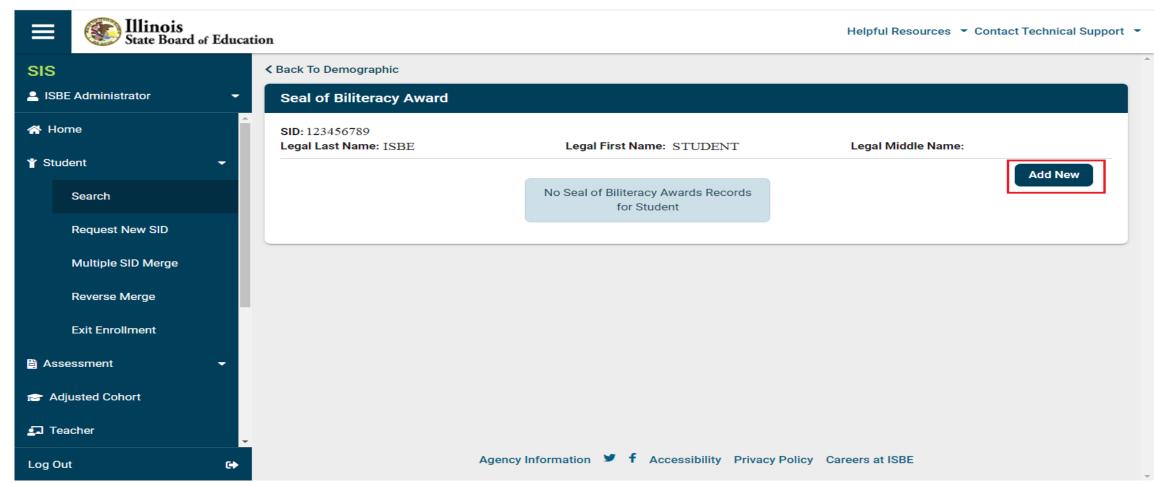
Seal of Biliteracy Award – Add Awards Online







Seal of Biliteracy Award – Add







Seal of Biliteracy Award – Submit

