

Languages Used in Illinois Public School Bilingual Census

| | LANGUAGE | NUMBER OF STUDENTS |
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| 1 | SPANISH | 243,831 |
| 2 | POLISH | 19,078 |
| 3 | URDU | 7,393 |
| 4 | ARABIC | 7,378 |
| 5 | PILIPINO (TAGALOG) | 6,080 |
| 6 | KOREAN | 5,980 |
| 7 | GUJARATI | 5,326 |
| 8 | CANTONESE (CHINESE) | 5,189 |
| 9 | RUSSIAN | 4,032 |
| 10 | SERBIAN | 3,339 |
| 11 | VIETNAMESE | 3,149 |
| 12 | GREEK | 3,055 |
| 13 | MANDARIN (CHINESE) | 2,610 |
| 14 | HINDI | 2,381 |
| 15 | ASSYRIAN (SYRIAC, ARAMAIC) | 2,366 |
| 16 | ITALIAN | 2,272 |
| 17 | ROMANIAN | 1,682 |
| 18 | JAPANESE | 1,598 |
| 19 | GERMAN | 1,382 |
| 20 | MALAYALAM | 1,361 |
| 21 | ALBANIAN,GHEG (KOSOVO/MACEDONIA) | 1,198 |
| 22 | FRENCH | 1,118 |
| 23 | LAO | 1,117 |
| 24 | UKRAINIAN | 971 |
| 25 | LITHUANIAN | 808 |
| 26 | CAMBODIAN (KHMER) | 798 |
| 27 | BULGARIAN | 723 |
| 28 | PANJABI (PUNJABI) | 661 |
| 29 | FARSI (PERSIAN) | 654 |
| 30 | TELUGU (TELEGU) | 552 |
| 31 | BOSNIAN | 548 |
| 32 | THAI | 505 |
| 33 | PORTUGUESE | 432 |
| 34 | HAITIAN-CREOLE | 424 |

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| 35 | TAMIL | 367 |
| 36 | YORUBA | 346 |
| 37 | HEBREW | 344 |
| 38 | BENGALI | 299 |
| 39 | TURKISH | 286 |
| 40 | ALBANIAN/TOSK (ALBANIA) | 269 |
| 41 | SLOVAK | 218 |
| 42 | CZECH | 178 |
| 43 | HUNGARIAN | 164 |
| 44 | ARMENIAN | 160 |
| 45 | TAIWANESE/FORMOSAN/MIN NAN (CHINESE) | 157 |
| 46 | IBO/IGBO | 154 |
| 47 | DUTCH/FLEMISH | 142 |
| 48 | SWEDISH | 140 |
| 49 | HMONG | 138 |
| 50 | MARATHI | 120 |
| 51 | CROATIAN | 117 |
| 52 | AFRIKAANS (TAAL) | 111 |
| 53 | AMHARIC | 102 |
| 54 | OTHER LANGUAGES | 3,362 |
| | TOTAL STUDENTS | 347,165 |
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