

Application for Seal of Bi-literacy

South Tahoe High School

SUBMIT COMPLETED APPLICATION AND A COPY OF YOUR TRANSCRIPTS WITH YOUR ENGLISH AND LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH (LOTE) GRADES HIGHLIGHTED TO THE REGISTRAR, MS. BENI, NO LATER THAN FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 2017.

Name: _____ State ID # (can be found on your transcripts): _____

Primary Language: Refers to the first language you learned to speak at home when you were a child. If your family speaks a language other than English at home, your primary language is whatever language is spoken there even if you are most comfortable communicating in English.

If you have not yet completed a course, list "in progress" under the Semester Grade Column.

| English Course List the course in which you were enrolled. | First Semester Grade | Second Semester Grade | For Official Use Only |
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| 9 th _____ | | | GPA for English Courses: _____ |
| 10 th _____ | | | |
| 11 th _____ | | | |
| 12 th _____ | | | |

| LOTE Course Highlight the courses you completed | First Semester Grade | Second Semester Grade | For Official Use Only |
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| Spanish I/Native Spanish I | | | GPA for LOTE Courses: _____ |
| Spanish II /Native Spanish II | | | |
| Spanish III /Native Spanish III | | | |
| Spanish IVH | | | |
| AP Spanish Language and Culture | | | |

If your primary language is English, you must prove your eligibility for the Seal of Biliteracy in all three of the following categories:

1. Must have completed or be in the process of completing all English requirements for graduation with an overall GPA of 2.0 or above in those classes. Please submit a copy of your transcripts and highlight your English grades.
2. Must have passed the English California High School Exit Exam (CAHSEE).
3. Must demonstrate proficiency in one or more languages other than English through **one** of the following methods:
 - a. Pass a foreign language AP exam with a score of three or higher.
 - b. Successfully complete a four-year high school course of study in a foreign language and attain an overall grade point average of 3.0 or above in that course of study. Please submit a copy of your transcripts and highlight your Spanish/French grades.
 - c. Earn a score of 600 on the SAT II Subject test.

If your primary language is a language other than English, you must prove your eligibility for the Seal of Biliteracy in all three outlined above AND fulfill the following requirement:

1. Achieve Early Advanced or higher proficiency level on the California English Language Development Test (CELDT).

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| | Seal of Bi-literacy Candidate - Pending English course completion |
| | Seal of Bi-literacy Candidate - Pending LOTE course completion |
| | Seal of Bi-literacy Candidate - Pending AP Score |
| | Seal of Bi-literacy Candidate - Pending SAT II Score |
| | Seal of Bi-literacy Recipient |