

Instructional program

Students in the dual language program follow the Woodburn School District curriculum, centered on the educational standards of Oregon . The Russian language program has been pedagogically and methodically developed to align with the English language components of the program. All educational materials in Russian have been selected in accordance with the standards. When necessary, materials are translated from English into Russian, to provide students with the easiest conceptual transition between the two languages. All teachers working in the program have undergone specialized training in the theory and practice of second language acquisition in order to teach students vital skills and make bilingual acquisition comprehensible for all students.

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<https://www.woodburnsd.org/about/dual-language-program/russian-heritage-language-program>



Russian Dual Language Program

Our mission:

Think, speak, read and write in Russian and English to become successful world citizens.



Research

National and international studies have shown that students enrolled in bilingual programs show exceptional academic success and perform higher on standardized tests than peers in monolingual programs.

PROGRAM MODEL

| | Russian | English | Certification |
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| Preschool (from 3 to 5 years old) | 100% | 0% | |
| Kindergarten | 90% | 10% | |
| 1st grade | 90% | 10% | |
| 2nd grade | 80% | 20% | |
| 3rd grade | 70% | 30% | |
| 4th grade | 60% | 40% | |
| 5th grade | 50% | 50% | Certificate of biliteracy |
| 6th-8th grades | Russian language arts | | Certificate of biliteracy |
| 9th-12th grades | Russian language arts College accredited courses | | Seal of biliteracy |



PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Since 1996, the Woodburn School District has provided students with the opportunity to receive education in Russian and English by developing skills in reading, writing, listening and speaking.

Our program is the first in the nation to offer English speaking students the opportunity to learn Russian in a public school. Native speakers, English speakers and Spanish speaker students all learn in the same classroom, successfully mastering the Russian and English language, while establishing biculturalism, achieving high academic results and attaining multicultural competence.