



## Saint Louis Public Schools Missouri Seal of Biliteracy Criteria



Criteria	Seal of Biliteracy	Distinguished Seal of Biliteracy
<b>English</b>	<p>For native English-speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Proficient on English II EOC <i>or</i></li> <li>18 on ACT in English or Reading</li> </ul> <p>For English Learners (ELs) entering high school as ELLs receiving services:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Proficient on English II EOC <i>or</i></li> <li>18 on ACT in English or Reading <i>or</i></li> <li>Composite proficiency level 4.0 on ACCESS</li> </ul>	<p>For native English-speakers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Advanced on English II EOC <i>or</i></li> <li>21 on ACT in English or Reading</li> </ul> <p>For English Learners (ELs) entering high school as ELLs receiving services:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Advanced on English II EOC <i>or</i></li> <li>21 on ACT in English or Reading <i>or</i></li> <li>Composite proficiency level 4.7 on ACCESS</li> </ul>
<b>Languages other than English</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Intermediate Mid on STAMP 4S/STAMP WS in each domain assessed* <i>and/or</i></li> <li>Language proficiency portfolio for languages/domains not assessed through STAMP 4S/STAMP WS</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Advanced Low on STAMP 4S/STAMP WS in each domain assessed* <i>and/or</i></li> <li>Language proficiency portfolio for languages/domain not assessed through STAMP 4S/STAMP WS</li> </ul>
<b>Sociocultural Competency</b>	3 points	5 points
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Completing Sociocultural Competency Essay - 3 points</li> <li>Volunteering at SLPS ELL Student &amp; Family Events - 1 points per event</li> <li>Volunteering at community events involving languages other than English - 1 point per event</li> <li>Tutoring that involves languages other than English - 1 point per tutoring session</li> </ul>	

\*Students who already have IB Language test results may submit them to meet the criteria for languages other than English. DESE criteria for IB Language tests applies ([Missouri Seal of Biliteracy Implementation Guide](#)).