

Albuquerque Public Schools Bilingual Seal Requirements



Albuquerque Public Schools has a longstanding commitment to honoring multiple pathways for students to obtain Seals of Bilingualism and Biliteracy in diverse languages. These pathways cultivate learning communities that validate students' identities and cultures, foster linguistic and sociocultural competence, and promote academic rigor—preparing students for postsecondary success and global citizenship.



APS Seal

4 English Language Arts Credits
4 Spanish Language Arts Credits
4 Core Credits taken in English
4 Bilingual Core Credits

**C average in each category*

Portfolio Presentation



NM State Seal

Tribal Language assessment

or

4 Credits in the same language with a
C or higher every semester and an
exam or portfolio assessment

or

Both Exam & Portfolio Presentation



Indian Education Tribal Seal

2-3 page essay
and
Tribal Demonstration



Distinguished Learning Seal

30+ hours of community service
2-3 page essay
Presentation



APS Native American Bilingual Seal

Navajo I & II

or

Zuni I & II

and

Language Presentation