Santa Barbara County Education Office
Susan C. Salcido, Superintendent

INSTRUCTION FOR Multilingual Learners IN Dual Language Classrooms

Office of Education Ventura County

2026–2027 PROFESSIONAL LEARNING SERIES

This professional learning series combines research, best practices, and classroom application to strengthen instruction for multilingual learners in Dual Language Immersion (DLI) programs.

DAY 1: Best First Instruction Institute

Participants will deepen their understanding of best first instructional practices, academic language development, and evidence-based strategies that support multilingual learners.

DAYS 2-4: Best Practice DLI Classroom Demonstrations

Observe research-based instruction in authentic Dual Language classrooms. Through classroom demonstrations and collaborative reflection, participants will leave with practical, ready-to-implement strategies that enhance student engagement and achievement.

Please note: All four days of this professional learning series will be facilitated entirely in Spanish.



Choose One 4-Day Workshop Option

Option 1: SBCEO – Fall 2026

DAY 1

Monday, September 28, 2026

Location: Santa Maria Bonita School District (SMBSD) - 708 S. Miller Street Santa Maria, CA 93454
Time: 8:00 am - 2:30 pm

DAYS 2-4

September 30 - October 2, 2026

Location: Roberto and Dr. Francisco Jiménez Elementary School
970 Biscayne St., Santa Maria, CA 93458
Time: 8:00 am - 3:00 pm
Format: Classroom with students

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Option 2: VCOE – Fall 2026

DAY 1

Monday, October 19, 2026

Location: Ventura County Office of Education (VCOE) - 5100 Adolfo Rd. Camarillo, CA 93012
Time: 8:00 am - 2:30 pm

DAYS 2-4

October 21 - 23, 2026

Location: Ansgar Larsen Elementary School - 550 Thomas Ave., Oxnard, CA 93033
Time: 8:00 am - 3:00 pm
Format: Classroom with students

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Option 3: VCOE – Winter 2027

DAY 1

Monday, January 25, 2027

Location: Ventura County Office of Education (VCOE) - 5100 Adolfo Rd. Camarillo, CA 93012
Time: 8:00 am - 2:30 pm

DAYS 2-4

January 27 - 29, 2027

Location: Glen City Elementary Global STEAM² Academy
141 S Steckel Dr., Santa Paula, CA 93060
Time: 8:00 am - 3:00 pm
Format: Classroom with students

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Registration represents a **commitment to attend and actively participate in all four days**; **partial participation is not permitted. Funded through the Bilingual Teacher Professional Development Program (BTPDP)** state grant, this training is provided at **no cost to participants**. The actual cost is $1,500 per person, representing a significant investment in your professional growth.

For More Information

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