

IHAH – WORLD LANGUAGES PROGRAM

It is the policy of the School Board to provide students with opportunities to explore a broad range of academic fields. In keeping with the developmental needs of students, a world language program will be offered to students in the middle school and high school. The world languages program will meet District goals, philosophies, and curriculum.

High School – The District will provide one or more world languages to high school students as educationally appropriate and as District resources permit.

Middle School – Middle school world language instruction will be provided as educationally appropriate to students and at grade levels as District resources permit. Middle school students at the seventh and eighth grade level that participate in the world languages program may earn high school credit subject to School Board Policy IK Earning of High School Credit.

Elementary School - As resources permit, the District may provide exposure to world languages and cultures in elementary school. This may include regular classroom instruction and/or extra-curricular programs.

Statutory/Regulatory/Policy/Handbook Cross References

ESD Policy IK (Earning of High School Credit)
Ed 306.261(c) (World Languages, Middle School)
Ed 306.27(c)(15) (World Languages, High School)
Ed 306.481 (World Languages Program, High School)

Handbook (None)

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