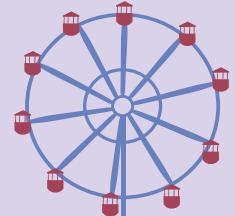
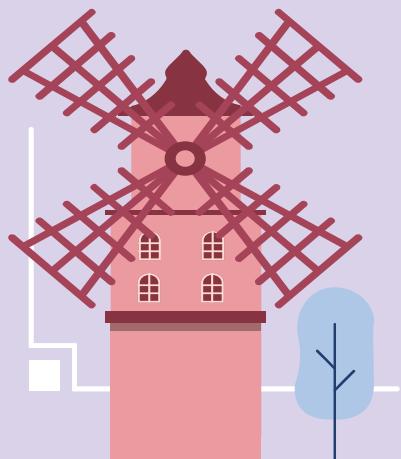


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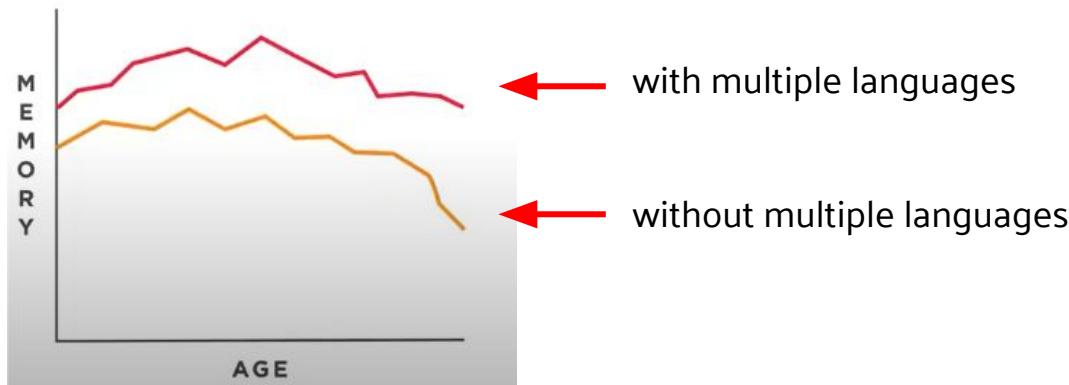
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Why learn a new language?

Improve your English: Even though English is considered a Germanic language, 29% of English words come straight from Latin, 29% of our words come from French, and 26% of our words are Germanic in origin.

Improve your memory and keep your brain healthy: research shows that people who learn languages have better memories than those who don't, and the mental gymnastics that go into mastering a new language can help defend against Alzheimer's and other memory related illnesses.



CHANGE YOUR LIFE!



LEARNING A NEW LANGUAGE ALLOWS YOU...

MORE JOB OPPORTUNITIES LIVE ANYWHERE



LEARNING A NEW LANGUAGE

OPENS YOUR MIND



Why learn a new language?

Change your life: open possibilities that are closed to you without the cultural and language skills you learn with a new language-more job opportunities, live anywhere, travel

Open your mind: language and culture go hand in hand. As you learn to see the world from a new perspective, you grow in empathy and understanding of the different ways people live their lives.

Have fun: explore language with games, songs, plays, food, and traditions.

Latin 1

8th grade



A photograph of the Eiffel Tower in Paris, France, set against a dramatic sky at sunset or sunrise. The sky is filled with wispy clouds that are illuminated from below, giving them a warm, golden-orange glow. The Eiffel Tower itself is dark, its intricate lattice structure silhouetted against the bright sky. In the foreground, there are some green trees and bushes. The overall atmosphere is romantic and scenic.

French

**1a-7th grade
1b-8th grade
1-8th grade**



Korean

**1a-7th grade
1b-8th grade
1-8th grade**



1a-7th grade

1b-8th grade

1-8th grade

1 Heritage Speakers-8th grade

Spanish

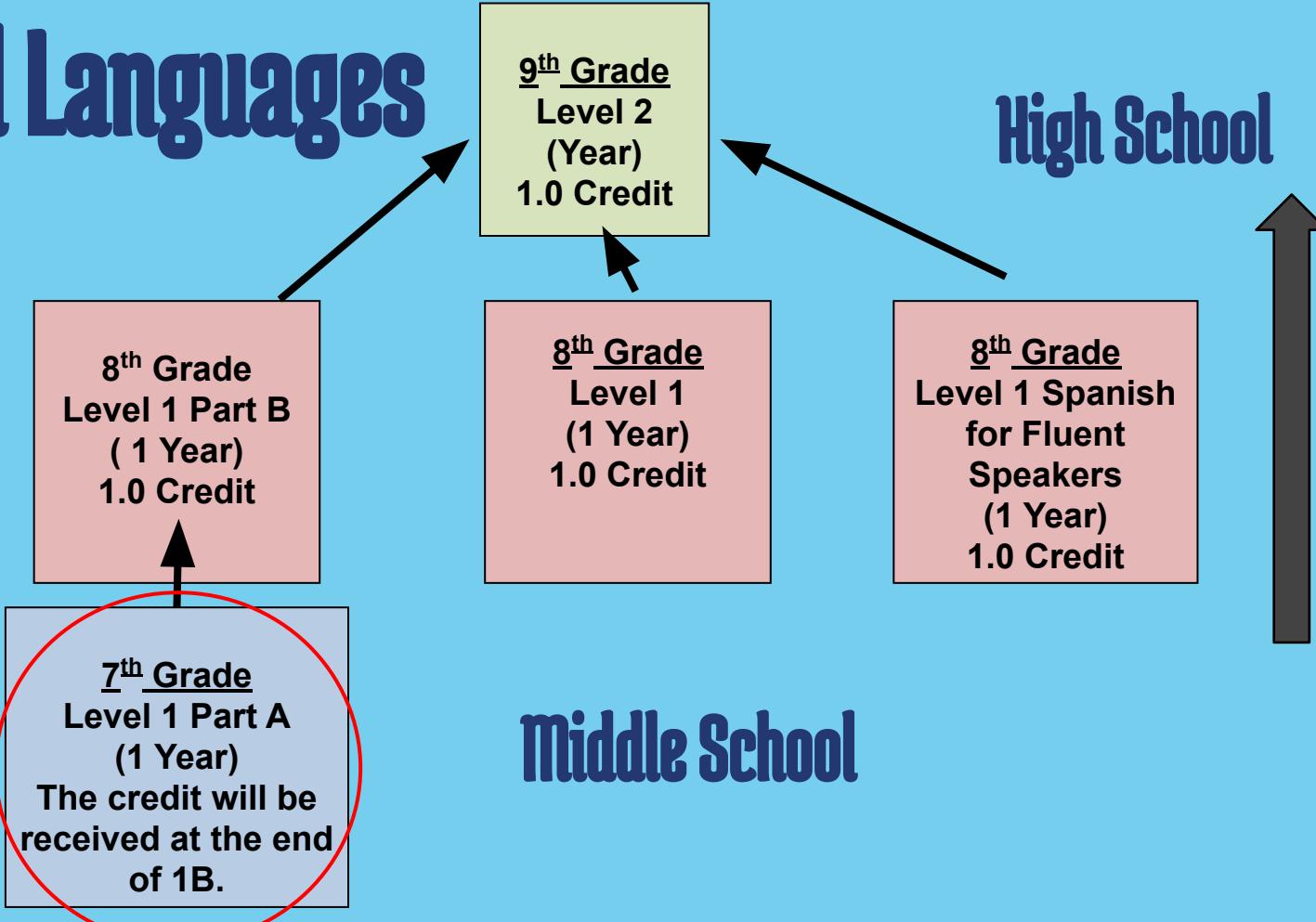
World Language Courses Offered for 2022-2023



Language	1A (7th grade)	1B (8th grade)	Level 1 (8th grade)
Spanish	yes	yes	yes
Spanish for Heritage Speakers			yes
French	yes	yes	yes
Korean	yes	yes	yes
Latin			yes

All language courses are full-year. 1A + 1B OR Level 1 = 1 year of high school credit.
Courses will occur if there is enough interest.

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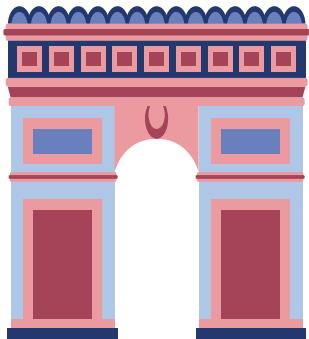


middle School

Fairfax High School

World Languages **Dual** Enrollment Programs
French (**only at FHS**), Latin, and Spanish

Level 4 Dual Enrollment (DE)- Students earn two classes of college credit (3 credits per semester course) through Northern Virginia Community College (NVCC) for French 201 and 202 (one class per semester) upon successful completion of the course without paying college tuition.



Introduction to Foreign Language (IFL)

This is a ONE semester course.

In this course, students are introduced to up to four world languages and cultures. The languages most often studied are French, German, Latin, and Spanish, but Chinese, Japanese, Korean or Russian may also be included. Students learn the most basic structures, vocabulary, and expressions in each language and study the cultures of the people who speak them.



Students are exposed to the basic steps and study habits necessary to learn a world language and are made aware of how knowledge of world languages enriches a person's life and expands the options of career goals.

This course does not count as a world languages credit.

Selecting a Language Elective for Heritage Spanish Speakers

BEGIN HERE:

Do I speak and read/write Spanish fluently?

I should plan to take the World Language Credit Exam next fall to earn 1-3 high school credits

yes

yes

Do I want to add a new language?

yes

no

To help with course selection, students who sign up to take Spanish will take a short placement test to help determine the path that makes the most sense.

Do I speak Spanish but don't really read and write fluently?

Yes, this is me!

Do I want to add a new language?

no

There are many other electives I can take.

Yes, I want to try!

7th grade: I can take French 1a or Korean 1a then French 1b or Korean 1b in 8th grade to earn 1 HS credit.

8th grade: I can take French 1, Korean 1, or Latin 1 for a HS credit.

7th or 8th grade: I can take IFL.

7th grade: I can explore other electives and start Spanish next year.

8th grade: I can take Spanish for Heritage Speakers 1 for a HS credit and continue with level 2 for Heritage Speakers in 9th grade.

Selecting classes is a family decision, these tips are good guidelines for selecting classes. World Language classes are not required in middle school.

Selección de una asignatura optativa de lengua extranjera para hispanohablantes

COMIENZA AQUÍ:

¿Hablo y
leo/escribo
español con
fluidez?

Sí

Debería planear tomar el exámen de acreditación de Lenguas Extranjeras el próximo otoño para obtener 1-3 créditos para High School.

Sí

¿Quiero añadir
un nuevo
idioma?

Sí

Grado 7: Puedo tomar Francés 1A o Coreano 1A en el séptimo grado. Y en el octavo grado, puedo tomar Francés 1B o Coreano 1B para obtener 1 crédito de High School

Grado 8 : Puedo tomar Francés 1, Coreano 1, or Latin 1 y obtener 1 crédito de High School

Grado 7 o 8: Puedo tomar introducción a las lenguas extranjeras

no

Para ayudar con la selección de cursos, los estudiantes que se matriculan para tomar clases de español, tomarán un pequeño examen de ubicación para ayudar a determinar la mejor opción.

Hablo Español pero
la pregunta es:
¿Escribo y leo con
fluidez?

Sí, ¡este
soy yo!

¿Quiero añadir
un nuevo
idioma?

no

Hay muchas
otras materias
optativas que
puedo tomar.

Sí, ¡Quiero intentarlo!

No

Grado 7: Puedo explorar otras materias optativas y comenzar español al año siguiente.

Grado 8: Yo puedo tomar **Español 1 para hispanohablantes** para obtener un crédito para High School y continuar con el **Nivel 2** al año siguiente en el noveno grado.

Escoger una clase es una decisión tomada por la familia, pues, esta guía puede ayudarte en tu selección de curso. Las clases de Lenguas Extranjeras no son obligatorias.

Program of Studies: New Approach - Student Driven Curriculum

About Me	My Family	My School	Food	Clothing
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01

About Me

02

My Family

03

My School

04

Food

05

Clothing

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1. Who am I?
 2. How does my family influence my identity?
 3. How does my school community contribute to my sense of identity?
 4. How do the foods I eat reflect my cultural experience?
 5. How do I express my identity through my clothing?
How does my clothing reflect my culture?

In Level 1 language classes, students target novice level proficiency for high school credit. They are evaluated on: **listening** comprehension, **speaking**/oral communication, **reading** comprehension, and **writing** performance.



Targeted Portrait of a Graduate Attributes

- Communicator
- Ethical and Global Citizen*
- Goal-directed and Resilient Individual
- Creative & Critical Thinker
- Collaborator



I am becoming an Ethical and Global Citizen

I understand there are different cultures and perspectives in the world.

I am aware of the feelings of others and am respectful of their point of view.

I am learning to communicate in another language so that I can connect with others in the world.

I consider local, national, and global perspectives when examining issues, which enables me to understand a variety of cultures and perspectives.



Any Questions?



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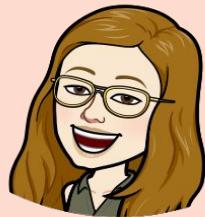
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Meet the Teachers



BIENVENIDOS



Señoras Khosravi, Vejar, and Salazar

Mrs. Nygaard



BONJOUR



Madame Crawford

안녕하세요?
ANNYEONGHASEYO



Mrs. Yim

World Language Credit Exam

For students who are fluent speakers of another language, The World Language Credit Exam is offered once a year. Students may earn up to 2 WL credits towards graduation.



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Want more and to hear what students say?



Sra Salazar
Spanish



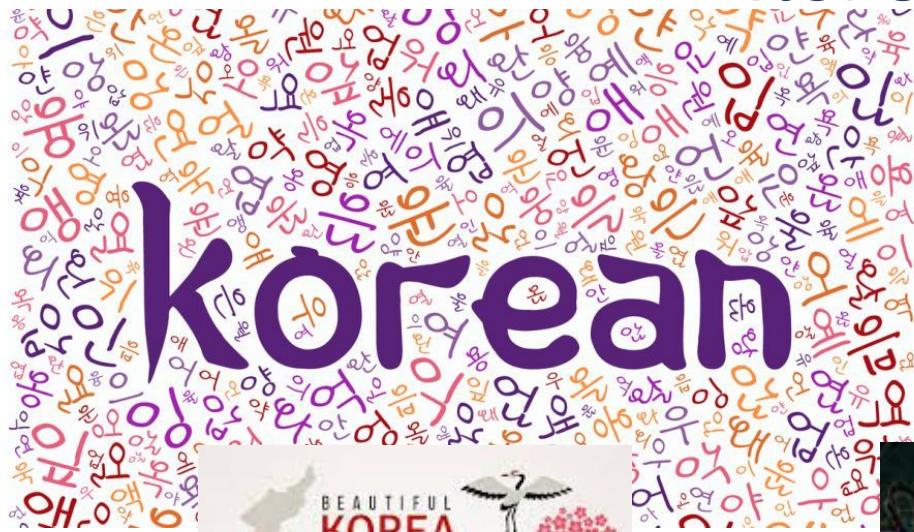
Mrs. Yim
Korean



French



Korean





Why Study Latin?



Reasons Grown-ups give:

- Vocabulary (60% of all the words we speak have their roots in Latin)
- Connections through culture, mythology, and history (this is fun!)
- Analytical skills through the study of grammar



Here are a few reasons why, from a Latin student!

- It's easy and quick
- No speaking tests
- Interesting to learn about mythology and monsters
- It's a great way to make new friends

Spanish





THANKS!



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