

*Central Bucks World Languages
Sequences*

FRENCH

Level III
Level IV
Level IV Honors*/**
Level AP*/**

LATIN

Level I
Level II
Level III

MANDARIN CHINESE

Level I
Level II
Level III

SPANISH

Academic

Level I
Level II
Level III
Level IV
Level V
Level AP */**

Honors

Level I
Level II
Level III Honors*/**
Level IV Honors */**
Level AP*/**

* By teacher recommendation
** Weighted course

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Why learn another language?

Knowing other languages brings opportunities!



Did you know that studying a second language can improve your skills and grades in Math and English and can improve college entrance exam scores? Research has shown that math and verbal SAT scores climb higher with **each additional year** of foreign language study, which means that the longer you study a world language, the stronger your skills become to succeed in school.

Job Advantages in a Global Economy

More and more businesses work closely with companies in other countries. They need many workers who can communicate in different languages and understand other cultures. No matter what career you choose, if you've learned a second language, you will have a real advantage.



Learn about other cultures beyond your world; discover new worlds! Get an insider's view of another culture and a new view of your own!

Connect with other cultures! Knowledge of other cultures will help you expand your personal horizons and become a responsible citizen. Your ability to talk to others and gather information beyond the world of English will contribute to your community and your country.

There are many Americans who speak languages other than English.

If you have ever thought about being a nurse, doctor, police officer, judge, architect, business person, singer, plumber, or a Webmaster, you will multiply your chances for success if you speak more than one language. A hotel manager or a customer-service representative who speaks English and another language may look much better at promotion time than one who speaks only English.

Professionals who know other languages are called on to travel and exchange information with people in other countries throughout their career. Knowing more than one language enhances opportunities in government, business, medicine and health care, law enforcement, teaching, technology, the military, communications, private industry, social services and marketing. An employer will see you as a bridge to new clients or customers if you speak a second language.

New Ways of Language Learning

You will learn a second language in exciting new ways using technology and focusing on interpersonal communication. Learning a language is not just learning grammar and vocabulary. It is learning new sounds, expressions, and ways of seeing things. In short, it is learning how to function in another culture.

Depending on how long you study, you can gain different levels of fluency. Of course, it doesn't happen overnight. Like math, English, or other subjects, language learning takes time. Give it a try! You will find that languages open doors!



Tips for selecting a world language....

You should select the language that is right for you. Think about which language will help you in your future.



Frequently Asked Questions:

How many years of a language do I need for college? Most colleges want applicants to have at least 3 years of the same world language. However, it is advantageous to get to the highest level possible.

Are there language requirements for a scholar's diploma? You need 2 years of a world language for a scholar's diploma.

What is a weighted course? Honors courses are weighted .25 and AP courses are weighted 1.0.

Where can I get more information about selecting a language and planning my schedule? You can go to the world languages web site (for specific information or ask a world languages teacher at school.

****Important Information For Program Planning**

Select your courses carefully, as changes are not permitted! Check with your guidance counselor and teacher to see that you are placed in the appropriate language level.