



Class of 2021 Seal of Biliteracy Application Window Reopened

In an effort to respond to applicants' needs due to COVID-19, the HIDOE has reopened the Class of 2021 Seal of Biliteracy application. The new deadline to submit an application is **Monday, April 19, 2021, at 12:00 p.m.**

The Seal of Biliteracy is for ANY graduate who meets the criteria. It is NOT only for students who take a world language class.

Eligibility Criteria:

- Must be graduating in the Class of 2021
- Demonstrate a minimum overall (cumulative) 3.0 GPA upon graduation
- Successfully complete courses required for English Language Arts for a high school diploma with a minimum 3.0 GPA upon graduation
- Attain the requisite score of "5" (Intermediate-Mid proficiency level) or above on the HIDOE-approved online language assessment for the world language requirement.

The following is a list of all languages for which an assessment is available:

Amharic, Arabic, Armenian, Chin (Hakha), Chuukese, Czech, Filipino (Tagalog), French, German, Haitian-Creole, Hawaiian, Hebrew, Hindi, Hmong, Ilocano, Italian, Japanese, Kannada, Korean, Mandarin (Simplified), Mandarin(Traditional), Marathi, Marshallese, Polish, Portuguese (Brazilian), Russian, Samoan, Somali Maay Maay, Somali Maxaa, Spanish, Tamil, Telugu, Turkish, Urdu, Vietnamese, Yup'ik

For more information and how to apply, please have your child email Ms. Brenda Nomura as soon as possible at hssealofbiliteracy@mules.k12.hi.us