

VACAVILLE HIGH SCHOOL



HOW DO I EARN A BILITERACY SEAL?

WHAT DOES BILITERACY MEAN?

Students have attained proficiency in two or more languages. You must demonstrate proficiency in **English** and a **World Language**.

DO MY ENGLISH GRADES AND STATE TESTS MATTER ?

Absolutely! That is why it is called a biliteracy seal. The State of California sets these requirements, therefore, you **MUST** have a 2.0 or higher cumulative GPA in English ALL 4 years. In addition, you **MUST** pass the CASSP in your 11th grade year.



For more information about the seal please scan the QR code above.

HOW DO I DEMONSTRATE PROFICIENCY?

At Vacaville High School we offer Spanish, French, and American Sign Language. You will need to maintain a 3.0 cumulative GPA ALL 4 years in the World Language as well as showing proficiency in English.

WHAT IF I DON'T MAINTAIN A 3.0 OR TAKE 4 ACADEMIC YEARS OF A WORLD LANGUAGE?

If you don't maintain a 3.0 or take 4 years of a world language, you can still earn the biliteracy seal by doing one of the following:

- Testing into a language class higher than level 1
- Completing and passing the AP Language and Culture Exam for your language
- Taking college-level World Language classes and informing your counselor