

HOME LANGUAGE SURVEY

The state requires the district to collect a Home Language Survey for every new student. This information is used to count the students whose families speak a language other than English at home. **It also helps to identify the need for bilingual and English as a Second Language education services in the schools.**

Please answer the questions below and return this survey to your child's school.

Student's Name: _____ Grade _____

1. Is a language other than English regularly spoken in your home?

_____ Yes

_____ No

If yes, what language? _____

2. Does your son/daughter regularly speak a language other than English?

_____ Yes

_____ No

If yes, what language? _____

If the answer to either question is yes, the school will assess your child's English language proficiency. The school will measure your child's listening and speaking skills and for students in grades 2 through 12, reading and writing skills.

Illinois School Code requires all schools to determine the language(s) spoken at home by each student.

Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian