Office of Superintendent of Public Instruction (OSPI)
Home Language Survey

Based on OSPI form English/November 2016

The Home Language Survey is given to *all* students enrolling in Washington schools.

Student Name:	**Grade:**	**Date:**
Form Completed by:		
Parent/Guardian Name:	Relationship to Student:	
Parent/Guardian Signature:		

Right to Translation and Interpretation Services Indicate your language preference so we can provide an interpreter or translated documents, free of charge, when you need them.	All parents have the right to information about their child's education in a language they understand. 1. In what language(s) would your family prefer to communicate with the school? _____
Eligibility for Language Development Support Information about the student's language helps us identify students who qualify for support to develop the language skills necessary for success in school. Testing may be necessary to determine if language supports are needed.	2. What language did your child learn first? _____ 3. What language does your child use most at home? _____ 4. What is the primary language used in the home, regardless of the language spoken by your child? _____ 5. Has your child received English language development support in a previous school? Yes___ No___ Don't know___
Prior Education Your responses about your child's birth country and previous education: - Give us information about the knowledge and skills your child is bringing to school. - May enable the school district to receive additional federal funding to provide support to your child. *This form is not used to identify students' immigration status.*	6. In what country was your child born? _____ 7. Has your child ever received formal education outside of the United States? Yes___ No___ If yes: Number of months:___ Language of instruction:_____ 8. When did your child first attend a school in the United States? _____ Month Day Year

Thank you for providing the information needed on the Home Language Survey. Contact your school district if you have further questions about this form or about services available at your child's school.

CVSD Staff Directions:

- All parents/guardians must complete, sign and date one Home Language Survey form for each new student enrolling in the school district.
- Place original in student's permanent record file (WAC 392-160-015).
- If parent/guardian answered a language other than English (639) for question 2, send a copy within two days to:
  - Grades K-5: Natasha Gerasimchuk, ELD Specialist c/o LTC
  - Grades K-8: Kristin Day, ELD Specialist c/o LTC
  - Grades 6-8: Betsy Casteel, ELD Specialist at NPMS
  - Grades 9-12: Vince Eberly, ELD Facilitator at CVHS
  - Grades 6-12: Tamara Mosar, ELD Facilitator c/o LTC
- Students identified are tested within 10 days of registration to determine eligibility for the ELD program.

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