

Appendix A - Sample Student Application

PENNSYLVANIA SEAL OF BILITERACY APPLICATION

By awarding the Seal of Biliteracy, <insert school name> certifies a graduating high school student has attained an intermediate-high level of proficiency in English and one or more world languages and certifies that the graduate has met all the defined requirements.

Directions to Applicants:

1. Complete all sections of the application.
2. Submit application and documentation of qualifying scores to your school counselor no later than May 1st of your senior year.

Name:

Date:

Current Grade Level:

Expected Year of Graduation:

Name of School Counselor:

I understand that I must meet all of the following:

- ☐ Complete all applicable requirements to earn my high school diploma.
- ☐ Earn an average of final grades equaling “B”, 80%, or higher in all English Language Arts courses taken in grades 9-12 **and** meet any one of the designated English Proficiency Criteria Options.
- ☐ Earn an average of final grades equaling “B”, 80%, or higher in all world language courses in the target language in grades 8-12 **and** meet any one of the designated World Language Proficiency Criteria Options.

For Guidance Counselor Use Only

Assessment information used to document proficiency in a language other than English:

Language	Name of Assessment	Date Completed	Score*

Student awarded Seal of Biliteracy? ☐ Yes ☐ No Date:

Comments: