



## Language Assistance Program Options for English Learners

### Language Instruction Programs

These are all the Language Instruction Programs (LIPs) that indicate the type of English Language Instructional Program used to educate a student who is an English Learner. These programs, along with other information, can be found in the Student Demographic File Layout on the [Student Interchange Webpage](#). There are many specifications and requirements that are checked when coding a student's Language Instruction Program. If a student is an English speaker, they must have a LIP of No or Not Applicable (00). Otherwise, there are steps that you should follow that are described in the link above.

Students may not be coded in more than one LIP. If multiple programs are used to educate a student, please use the one that is predominately used to educate the student.

Language Instruction Program definitions are adapted from the CDE Guidebook on Designing, Delivering, and Evaluating Services for English Learners and the [English Learner Toolkit](#) developed by the United States Department of Education.

More Resources:

[Laws and Guidance](#)

[Developing Programs for English Language Learners: Glossary](#)

[English Learner Program Chart](#) (page 10)

### No or Not Applicable

Students not in program because native English speakers or students coded as FELL.

**Language(s) of Instruction Used in Program:** NA

**Other Common Names:** NA

**Code for Student Interchange:** 00

### English as a Second Language (ESL) or English Development (ELD)

Program of techniques, methodology, and special curriculum designed to teach ELs explicitly about the English language, including the academic vocabulary needed to access content instruction, and to develop their English language proficiency in all our language domains (i.e., speaking, listening, reading, and writing).

**Language(s) of Instruction Used in Program:** Usually provided in English with little use of the ELs' primary language(s)

**Other Common Names:** Pull-Out ESL

**Code for Student Interchange:** 01



## Program Options 2

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### Dual Language or Two-Way Immersion

Bilingual program promoting students to develop and maintain language proficiency in two languages by receiving instruction in English and another language in a classroom that is usually comprised of half primary-English speakers and half primary speakers of the other language.

**Language(s) of Instruction Used in Program:** English and another language.

**Other Common Names:** Native Language Content Classes, First Language Literacy Class, L1 Literacy, Primary Language Literacy

**Code for Student Interchange:** 02

### Transitional Bilingual Education or Early-Exit Bilingual Education

Program that maintains and develops skills in the primary language while introducing, maintaining, and developing skills in English. The primary purpose of a TBE program is to facilitate the ELs' transition to an all-English instructional program, while the students receive academic subject instruction in the primary language to the extent necessary.

**Language(s) of Instruction Used in Program:** Students' primary language and English

**Other Common Names:** Native Language Content Classes, First Language Literacy Class, L1 Literacy, Primary Language Literacy

**Code for Student Interchange:** 03

### Content Classes with Integrated ESL Support

Program designed for English learners to learn content and develop English language skills simultaneously in one class. Instruction in language is not separate from the learning of content. As students learn new concepts and skills (for example, in mathematics or history) they learn the language for that content area.

**Language(s) of Instruction Used in Program:** Usually provided in English with little use of the ELs' primary language(s)

**Other Common Names:** Push-In ESL, Co-Teaching, Sheltered Instruction Observation Protocol (SIOP), Specially Designed Academic Instruction in English (SDAIE), Structured English Immersion (SEI), Sheltered grade-level content courses

**Code for Student Interchange:** 04



## Program Options 3

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### Newcomer Programs

Program designed specifically for students with low levels of English proficiency and new to the US. The goal is to accelerate their acquisition of English language skills and to orient them to the US and its schools.

**Language(s) of Instruction Used in Program:** English only, English and another language(s)

**Other Common Names:** Newcomer Center

**Code for Student Interchange:** 05

### Other

A language instruction program model designed to develop English that does not match the provided options.

**Language(s) of Instruction Used in Program:** NA

**Other Common Names:** NA

**Code for Student Interchange:** 97

### Not in a Language Instruction Program, Parent Refusal

Parents/Guardians have refused district/school language instruction services.

**Language(s) of Instruction Used in Program:** NA

**Other Common Names:** Parent Opt-Out, Waived Students

**Code for Student Interchange:** 98