

**Detroit Public Schools**  
**BILINGUAL EDUCATION PROGRAM**  
**Office of Recruitment and Employment Services**

**CRITERIA FOR EVALUATION OF CANDIDATES**  
**FOR THE BILINGUAL EDUCATION GRANT PROGRAM**

The following criteria must be met by applicants applying for the **Bilingual Education Grant Program** position:

1. Must be currently employed with Detroit Public Schools. (External candidates must apply and be accepted for a Substitute Teacher position with Detroit Public Schools.)
2. Must not have (or have had) teacher certification.
3. Must be fluent in one of the following languages; Spanish, Hmong, Bengali, Arabic, Chaldean or Romanian.
4. Must possess a Bachelor's Degree from a college or university accredited by the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools or an equivalent agency with a minimum 2.6 grade point average.
5. Must obtain a satisfactory reference from current supervisor.
6. Must be prepared to register (or have already registered) for the Basic Skills Examination.
7. Must be in good standing with all universities attended and provide official transcripts.
8. Must enroll in Wayne State University's College of Education and provide a plan of work for obtaining the Bilingual endorsement.

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**BILINGUAL EDUCATION CERTIFICATION PROGRAM**  
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This form should be completed by candidates interested in applying for the Bilingual Education certification program as part of Bowling Green State University's Bilingual Education Grant Program.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_  
File No.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address City State Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone Number E-mail Address

Are you currently employed by Detroit Public Schools?  YES  NO

If YES, please list your current position and work location: \_\_\_\_\_

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If NO, have you applied for a Substitute position with Detroit Public Schools?  YES  NO

Are you a current or former student enrolled in a teacher certification program?  YES  NO

If YES, please list area of certification:  Elementary  Secondary

Please list teaching major and/or minor: \_\_\_\_\_

As a potential Detroit Public Schools Bilingual Education Candidate, seeking initial teacher certification, in what program do you expect to enroll?

- Six credit hours only (toward the twenty-one credits required for a bilingual endorsement)
- Masters in the Art of Teaching (MAT)
- Doctoral Degree

What language(s) do you fluently speak, read, and write?

- Arabic  Romanian
- Bengali  Spanish
- Chaldean
- Hmong

Please return your completed application and supporting documentation (no later than Friday November 16, 2007) to:

Detroit Public Schools – Welcome Center  
New Center One Building  
Attn: Felicia Miller-Talley  
3031 W. Grand Boulevard (1<sup>st</sup> Floor)  
Detroit, MI 48202