

# Bilingual Multicultural Education

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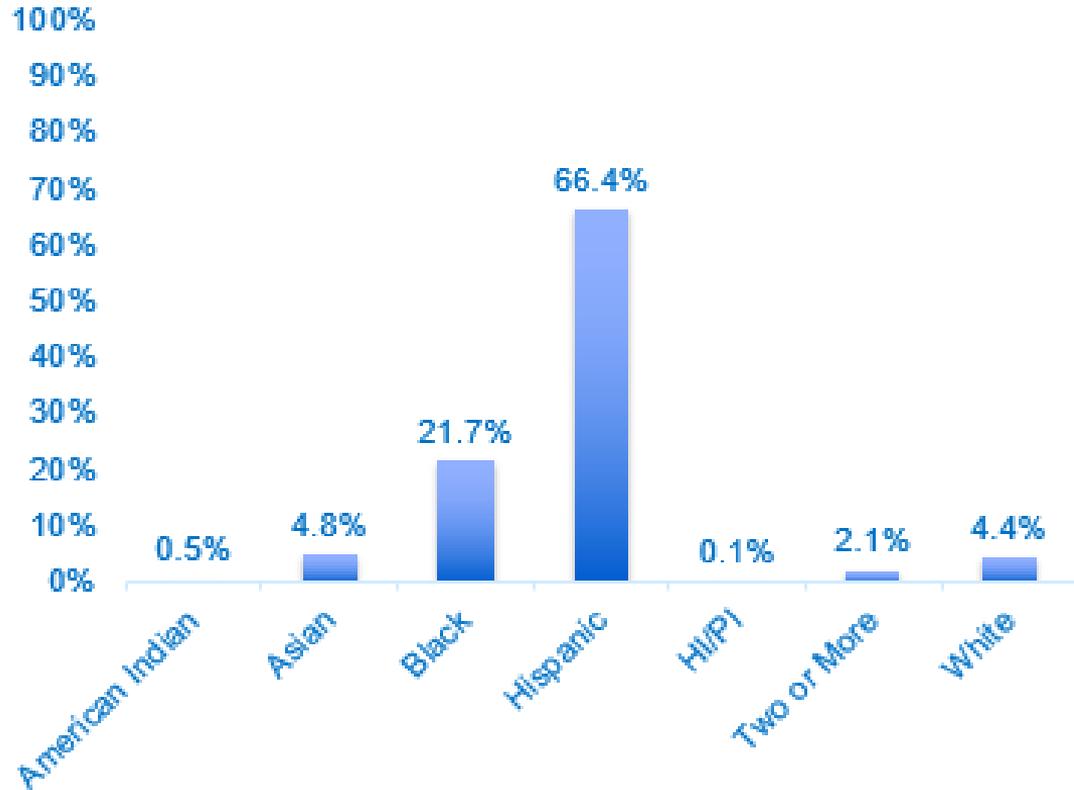
# 5 Priorities for Success



# Bilingual Schools

## 2021-22

- 13,362 Current Students
- 21 Schools
- 38.3% English Language Learners
- 23.5% Special Education
- 85.1% Economically Disadvantaged



# Bilingual Multicultural Education Department

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- **Mission:** The mission of the Department of Bilingual Multicultural Education is to provide equitable access to quality multilingual and multicultural programming in Milwaukee Public Schools.
- **Vision:** MPS students graduate with strong cultural and linguistic identities, leveraging these assets to navigate college, career, and life as global citizens in an inclusive society.



# Department of Bilingual Multicultural Education

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- Bilingual programming
- Parent engagement and marketing
- District Multicultural Multilingual Advisory Council - DMMAC
- Seal of Biliteracy
- Professional development to schools



# Program Updates

Program	Accomplishments	Next Steps
Bilingual	<p>Regularly Update Biliteracy Year-at-a-Glance.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Now links to 88 biliteracy units</li> </ul> <p>Continued collaboration with C&amp;I</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Science, Mathematics, Social Studies</li> <li>• Reading, Writing</li> <li>• Montessori, Early Childhood</li> </ul> <p>Provided professional development through the platforms listed below.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PLI, SST Institute, Teacher Institutes</li> <li>• AP/SpEd/Dean Institute</li> <li>• School-Based</li> <li>• New Bilingual Teacher PD Series</li> <li>• 5 Supported Planning Sessions</li> </ul> <p>Two Bilingual Teacher Leaders attended training on Guided Reading.</p>	<p>Guide teacher work groups (K5-5th grades) in the development of Week-at-a-Glance documents for Trimester 1 Science BUFs- Summer 2022</p> <p>Complete the Bilingual Dual Language Foundational Skills Scope and Sequence (K5-2nd grades)</p> <p>Complete an inventory of reading skills and standards based on the newly adopted reading materials in order to inform updates to the Biliteracy Year-at-a-Glance</p> <p>Continue to support Riley DL Montessori through curricular and instructional enhancements.</p>



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English as a Second Language (ESL)  English Language Development (ELD)	<p>Completed raining on the Wisconsin Refugee Program Database which will be used to report qualifying youth for summer services and communicate with agencies that serve refugees.</p> <p>Provided five-part professional development series to 25 participants at Story, ELD Pilot school</p> <p>Provided professional development through:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● PLI/AP, SST &amp; Teacher institutes</li><li>● School-based</li><li>● New ESL teacher orientations</li><li>● Sessions for ESL teachers and secretaries</li><li>● MPS Psychological Services, including students from Eau Claire/La Crosse and new school psychologists</li><li>● 20 Milwaukee Art Museum docents</li></ul>	<p>Implement the ELD action plan, 2021-2024.</p> <p>Offer professional development on the ELD framework to all schools that educate English Learners.</p> <p>Analyze outcomes from pilot school to continuously shape and enhance Ambitious Instruction plan for English learners.</p> <p>Provide differentiated professional development and coaching sessions.</p> <p>Offer 4 summer sessions to SSTs and interventionists around ELD standards.</p>

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World Languages and Immersion	<p>Mango Languages has been successfully implemented in many world languages classrooms.</p> <p>Professional Development on the usage for Mango Languages has been given to world languages and ESL teachers, school based administrators, school support teachers, and parent coordinators.</p> <p>Proximity Learning continues to provide MPS with license world languages teachers where needed.</p>	<p>Continue to offer professional development for all teachers on the addition of Mango Languages as a classroom resource.</p> <p>Immersion Summer Camps will be provided in French, German, and Spanish at Milwaukee School of Languages for summer opportunities.</p> <p>Credit recovery and acceleration in languages taught in the high schools will be available during the months of June and July. Also, summer camp will be available for K-2 students in American Sign Language and 3-5 grade students in Chinese Mandarin</p>
Seal of Biliteracy (SBL)	<p>Sixty six students at seven high schools graduated with the Seal of Biliteracy on the following languages: American Sign Language, Arabic, Burmese, Chin, Chinese, French, German, Italian, Karen, Karenni, Malay, Rohingya, Spanish, Urdu.</p>	<p>We are currently awaiting the IB/AP scores of three students this summer to potentially increase the number of graduates to sixty nine.</p>

# DMMAC Update

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- Student/Family Recruitment
  - Working in collaboration with schools and Co to recruit students (especially K3-5) for schools with language programs.
- Advocacy
  - Chris Thiel, Representative Goyke and Board Director Carr presented on state/local political action.
- Budget Briefing
  - We held a budget briefing to help families understand the '22-'23 proposed budget.



# Thank you.



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