

# Dual Language and English Learner Education

IN THE COLLEGE OF EDUCATION

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## Offered by the Department

Master of Arts degree in education.

Concentration in dual language and English learner education

Multiple subject bilingual teaching credential.

Single subject bilingual teaching credential.

Bilingual multiple subject and special education credential  
(refer to the *Graduate Bulletin*).

Dual language for academic literacy certificate  
(refer to the *Graduate Bulletin*).

English language development for academic literacy certificate  
(refer to the *Graduate Bulletin*).

Bilingual added authorization with an emphasis in biliteracy for K-12 credential (refer to the *Graduate Bulletin*).

## The Major

The Dual Language and English Learner Education (DLE) Department offers programs leading toward the bilingual credential for single and multiple subject (secondary and elementary).

The Dual Language and English Learner Education Department and the College of Education is committed to the preparation of teachers for bilingual authorization as the most desirable credential in California. Furthermore, the university is committed to developing leaders in cultural, economic, educational, scientific, social, and technical fields, as well as addressing the linguistic diversity of school communities. The university is primarily responsive to the people of California, as well as to the needs of the regional, national, and international communities it serves.

## Global Learning Experience Requirement

All candidates in the Dual Language and English Learner Education multiple and single subject programs are required to participate in an organized experience working with students across the border. This requirement consists of two weekends or four days, one week prior to the beginning of the semester or during the first two weeks of the semester. Candidates work in small groups to create lesson plans to be implemented in Tecate or Tijuana, Mexico. This experience will give candidates the opportunity to work with border students in a Mexican school setting, practice lesson planning, and create community amongst cohort and faculty. Details for the experience will be provided upon acceptance to the program.

## Multiple Subject Bilingual 2042 Credential

(Elementary K-6 Education)

**(Credential Code: 00200)**

The Multiple Subject Bilingual 2042 Credential (Elementary K-6 Education) is available to students interested in teaching in a bilingual Spanish, Arabic, Filipino, Japanese, or Mandarin elementary school classroom. This credential authorizes the holder to teach in any self-contained bilingual or regular classroom in which one teacher is responsible for all the subjects commonly taught in the elementary schools. Because courses on methods of teaching subject areas are taught in Spanish, Arabic, Filipino, Japanese, or Mandarin, as well as English, candidates must meet the respective language of emphasis proficiency requirements as outlined below.

Candidates who will pursue this credential need to specify “**Multiple Subject Credential – Bilingual**” in the application for graduate admission to SDSU (Code: 00200). Students applying for admission should electronically submit the university application available at <http://www.calstate.edu/apply> along with the \$55 application fee.

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### Graduate Admissions

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San Diego State University  
San Diego, CA 92182-7416

1. Official transcripts (in sealed envelopes) from all postsecondary institutions attended;

#### NOTE:

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- Students with international coursework must submit both the official transcript and proof of degree. If documents are in a language other than English, they must be accompanied by a certified English translation.
- 2. TOEFL score, if medium of instruction was in a language other than English (<http://www.ets.org>, SDSU institution code 4682).

### Dual Language and English Learner Education Department

1. Complete department application at <http://go.sdsu.edu/education/apply-now.aspx>;
2. California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST) scores;
3. Demonstration of Language and Cultural Proficiency:
  - Arabic: Copy of CSET LOTE subtests II and V for language of emphasis;
  - Filipino: Copy of CSET LOTE subtests II and V (test codes 191 and 255 respectively) for language of emphasis;
  - Japanese: Copy of CSET LOTE subtests III and V (test codes 159 and 260 respectively) for language of emphasis;
  - Mandarin: Copy of CSET LOTE subtests III and V for language of emphasis;
  - Spanish: Completion of DLE 416 with a grade of C (2.0) or better or copies of CSET LOTE subtests III and V for language of emphasis;
  - World Languages: Copy of CSET LOTE subtest IV (test code 250) for language of emphasis;
4. TB test results;

5. Two letters of recommendation, one of which must be from an elementary teacher if multiple subject or from a secondary teacher if single subject;
6. Verification of early field experience (30 hours for multiple subject) or completion of DLE 416L;
7. Certificate of clearance (live scan);
8. CPR that includes infant/child/adult;
9. Autobiography/Goals and Philosophy. Candidates must complete a 1-1/2 page essay of their goals and philosophy in education and a 1-1/2 page autobiography. One should be written in the language of emphasis and the other in English;
10. California Subject Examination for Teachers (CSET) scores.

#### Standards for Admission

1. **CBEST.** Students must pass the California Basic Educational Skills Test prior to admission to the bilingual credential program. This examination is required by the Commission on Teacher Credentialing. Booklets containing registration forms and test information are available at <http://www.cbest.nesinc.com>.
2. **Subject Matter Competency.** Students must verify completion of subject matter competency in diversified subjects commonly taught in self-contained classrooms prior to admission to the bilingual credential program. To be admitted to the bilingual credential program, a candidate shall have achieved a passing score on the California Subject Examination for Teachers (CSET) that is required for the credential sought. Registration information and materials for the CSET are available at <http://www.ctcexams.nesinc.com>.
3. **Prerequisite Courses.** The following courses must be completed with a grade of C (2.0) or better prior to admission to the program, but may be in progress at the time of application or taken in the term immediately prior to the program start date.

#### Liberal Studies Majors.

	Units
DLE 515 Multilingual Education: Theory and Practice for Bilingual Teachers .....	3
ED 451 Introduction to Multicultural Education.....	3
SPED 450 Classroom Adaptations for Special Populations .....	2
TE 280 Health Education for Teachers.....	1

#### Non-Liberal Studies Majors (must take the above and below prerequisite).

MATH 210\*\* Number Systems in Elementary Education.....3

\*\*With approval of the mathematics adviser, any of the following mathematics courses may be substituted for Mathematics 210: Mathematics 124, 150, 312.

4. **Grade Point Average.** Candidates must have cumulative grade point averages (GPAs) within the upper one-half of undergraduate students in the candidates' majors. GPAs vary according to discipline and graduating institution. GPA requirements are available in the Office of Student Services, EBA-259, 619-594-6320, [coeadvis@sdsu.edu](mailto:coeadvis@sdsu.edu). Candidates must have attained a grade point average of at least 2.67 overall or 2.75 in the last 60 semester or 90 quarter units attempted. Candidates are required to submit official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended and unofficial SDSU transcripts for GPA calculations.
5. **Letter of Recommendation.** Two professional references and one letter of recommendation must be submitted attesting to the applicants following characteristics: (a) attitude, aptitude and ability to teach children; (b) personality and character; (c) academic ability. At least one letter should be from an elementary school teacher the student has worked with and the others may be from faculty and administrators.

6. **Tuberculin Clearance.** Evidence of a negative tuberculosis test (these tests are valid for four years and must be in effect during the time that candidates are enrolled in the credential program). Clearance statements may be secured from Health Services, private physicians or HMOs, or public health agencies.
7. **Early Field Experience.** Applicants must provide evidence of a minimum of 30 hours of experience with students in typical elementary classroom settings within the last three years or successful completion of DLE 416L. Evidence must be documented.
8. **Written Statement of Professional Goals and Philosophy and Interview.** In addition to their written statement of goals and philosophy, candidates will have an interview with the admissions and retention committee of the DLE Department.
9. **California Certificate of Clearance.** This certificate represents a background clearance and check conducted by the State Department of Justice and Federal Bureau of Investigation. Turnaround time for the clearance can take as long as eight months. Possessors of K-12 California credentials may satisfy this requirement by submitting copies of those certificates. Candidates must submit the application directly to the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing. A copy of the application must be provided to the DLE Department.
10. **Credential Advising Appointment.** Each applicant must attend an advising session at the Office of Student Services. Appointments can be made in EBA-259, 619-594-6320, [coeadvis@sdsu.edu](mailto:coeadvis@sdsu.edu). Afterward, we recommend applicants visit the Dual Language and English Learner Education (DLE) office in EBA-248 or call 619-594-5155 to make an appointment with a faculty adviser.
11. **Language and Culture Proficiency.** All candidates must meet Language Proficiency and Cultural Awareness requirements for the language of emphasis to meet their specific Bilingual Authorization through DLE 416 or CSET LOTE examinations III and V.
12. **Reading Instruction Competence Assessment (RICA).** California Education Code Section 44283 requires that candidates for the preliminary or clear credential multiple subject pass this RICA requirement. The purpose of this assessment is to ensure that the candidate possess the knowledge and skills important for the provision of effective reading instruction to students. The RICA requirement applies to candidates who do not complete all credential requirements prior to October 1, 1998. Candidates must have passed the RICA in order to be able to file for the credential.
13. **Appeals Process.** Candidates who do not meet all the admission requirements may petition the DLE Department Admissions and Retention Committee for individual consideration; petition letters must be submitted concurrently with the application packets.
14. **Application.** Applicants should complete application procedures the semester prior to beginning the credential program. Check the department website for current deadline information: [http://go.sdsu.edu/education/dle/bilingual\\_credential.aspx](http://go.sdsu.edu/education/dle/bilingual_credential.aspx).

In addition to the minimum admissions standards identified above, the DLE Department Admissions and Retention Committee may also consider qualifications such as previous teaching experience and relevant working experience with children. Due to the number of applicants, application to the program does not ensure admission.

After admission, students will meet with the program coordinator to plan an appropriate program.

## Dual Language and English Learner Education

<b>Multiple Subject Bilingual 2042 Program</b>		<b>Units</b>
DLE 523	Psychological Foundations for Biliteracy Teachers in K-6 Classrooms.....	3
DLE 532	Biliteracy Teaching in Language Arts for Elementary Students.....	3
DLE 910	Teaching Mathematics to Bilingual Students.....	3
DLE 911	Teaching Social Studies to Bilingual Students.....	3
DLE 912	Teaching Science to Bilingual Students.....	3
DLE 915A	Teaching and Learning in the Content Area: English Language Development/SDAIE: Multiple Subjects.....	3
DLE 931	Skills in Teaching Reading to Bilingual Elementary Students.....	3
DLE 954	Classroom Organization for Democratic Teaching in Bilingual Classrooms.....	1-4
DLE 960	Professional Seminar for Bilingual Teacher Candidates (Cr/NC).....	1-4
DLE 961	Practicum in Elementary Bilingual Classroom (Cr/NC).....	1-12
DLE 962	Student Teaching for Elementary Bilingual Students II (Cr/NC).....	8
ED 970	Teaching Event Assessment (Cr/NC).....	3

### Preliminary 2042 Credential Requirements

1. A bachelor's degree (or higher) with any major other than education.
2. Completion of an approved program of professional education. (See Department of Dual Language and English Learner Education for further information.)
3. Passage of Multiple Subject/CSET.
4. Demonstrated knowledge of principles and provisions of United States Constitution through successful completion of three-unit college level course or examination. Courses are listed in General Catalog section on "Graduation Requirements," IV. American Institutions Requirement.
5. Passage of California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST).
6. Passage of Reading Instruction Competence Assessment (RICA) Test.
7. Demonstrated knowledge of the needs of and methods of providing educational opportunities to individuals with exceptional needs: Special Education 450.
8. Demonstrated knowledge of computer hardware, software, and applications to educational/classroom use (computer literacy).
9. Knowledge of health education in California, including substance abuse and nutrition: Teacher Education 280 – Health Education for Teachers (1 unit) and verification of CPR competency.
10. Successful completion of a California Teacher Credentialing approved Teacher Performance Assessment (edTPA).

**NOTE: Undergraduate students in their final semester prior to obtaining a baccalaureate degree may sign up for concurrent post-baccalaureate credit as explained in the section of this catalog on "General Regulations."**

According to SB 2042 legislation, teachers will be able to earn Professional Clear Credentials upon successful completion of induction programs sponsored by their employers and approved by the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing.

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## Single Subject Bilingual 2042 Credential

(Secondary Education Grades 6-12): Spanish Emphasis  
(Credential Code: 00100)

The Single Subject Bilingual (Spanish) Teaching Credential (Secondary Education) is available for students interested in teaching in a bilingual middle or secondary school classroom. This credential authorizes the holder to teach in any self-contained bilingual or regular classroom in which one teacher is responsible for teaching the given subject area.

Candidates who will pursue this credential need to specify "**Single Subject Bilingual**" in the application for graduate admission to SDSU (Code: 00100). Students applying for admission should electronically submit the university application available at <http://www.calstate.edu/apply> along with the \$55 application fee.

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1. Official transcripts (in sealed envelopes) from all postsecondary institutions attended;

#### NOTE:

- Students who attended SDSU need only submit transcripts for work completed since last attendance.
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2. California Subject Examination for Teachers (CSET) scores or adviser recommendation;
3. California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST) scores;
4. Demonstration of Language and Cultural Proficiency: Spanish: Completion of DLE 416 with a grade of C (2.0) or better or copies of CSET LOTE subtests III and V for Spanish language emphasis;
5. TB verification;
6. Two letters of recommendation, one of which must be from a secondary teacher if single subject;
7. Verification of early field experience;
8. Certificate of clearance (live scan);
9. CPR that includes infant/child/adult;
10. Autobiography/Goals and Philosophy. Candidates must complete a 1-1/2 page essay of their goals and philosophy in education and a 1-1/2 page autobiography. One should be written in the language of emphasis and the other in English.

### Standards for Admission

1. **CBEST.** Students must pass the California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST) prior to admission to the Single Subject Bilingual Emphasis credential program. Candidates are urged to take this examination as early as possible. This examination is required by the California Commission on Teacher Credentialing. Booklets containing registration forms and test information are available at <http://www.cbtest.nesinc.com>.

2. **Subject Matter Competency.** Students must verify competency in a specified single subject area through a university assessment process which consists of reviewing coursework for completion of an approved teaching major or its equivalent at San Diego State University or another approved California teacher-training institution or through California Subject Examinations for Teachers (CSET). Competency will be assessed and verified by subject matter departments at SDSU. Requirements for the various single subject majors are listed with the academic majors in the General Catalog. Test scores submitted for verification of subject matter competency are valid for five years from the date of the examination. Information and registration materials are available at <http://www.ctcexams.nesinc.com>.
3. **Prerequisite Courses:**

	<b>Units</b>
DLE 515 Multilingual Education: Theory and Practice for Biliteracy Teachers .....	3
ED 451 Introduction to Multicultural Education .....	3
SPED 450 Classroom Adaptations for Special Populations .....	2
TE 280 Health Education for Teachers.....	1
4. **Grade Point Average.** Candidates must have cumulative grade point averages (GPAs) within the upper one-half of undergraduate students in the candidates' majors. GPAs vary according to discipline and graduating institution. GPA requirements are available in the Office of Student Services, EBA-259, 619-594-6320, [coeadvis@sdsu.edu](mailto:coeadvis@sdsu.edu). Candidates are required to submit official transcripts from all colleges and universities attended and unofficial SDSU transcripts for GPA calculations.
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DLE 524 Psychological Foundations for Biliteracy Teachers in Grades 7-12 .....	1-4
DLE 653 Language Development in K-12 Multilingual Classrooms .....	3
DLE 915B Teaching and Learning in the Content Area: English Language Development/	
SDAIE: Single Subjects.....	3
DLE 933 Skills in Teaching Reading to Bilingual Secondary Students.....	3
DLE 954 Classroom Organization for Democratic Teaching in Bilingual Classrooms .....	3
DLE 960 Professional Seminar for Bilingual Teacher Candidates (Cr/NC).....	1-4
DLE 963 Practicum in Secondary Bilingual Classroom (Cr/NC).....	3-4
DLE 964 Student Teaching for Bilingual Secondary Students II .....	8-12
ED 970 Teaching Event Assessment (Cr/NC).....	3
TE 914 Teaching and Learning in the Content Area: Major .....	3

**Preliminary Credential Requirements**

1. A bachelor's degree with one of the approved single subject majors listed in the School of Teacher Education single subject teaching credential catalog section or in World Languages: Spanish. Credentials can be granted only in the designated single subject credential areas.
2. Completion of an approved program of professional education. (See Dual Language and English Learner Education Department for further information about the approved programs.)

3. MAJOR ADVISER'S RECOMMENDATION. Passage of subject matter examination(s) or waiver thereof through completion of one of the approved single subject credential majors with a written recommendation from the major adviser. Candidates applying for the Single Subject Credential program after August 31, 1995 who have not satisfied subject matter competency through coursework or PRAXIS examination(s), must take and pass a new set of examinations for the Single Subject Credential in seven areas: biology#, chemistry#, English language arts, geoscience#, mathematics, physics#, and social science. Candidates for the science authorizations (noted with #) must also take and pass a general science examination. Candidates should check with the Dual Language and English Learner Education Department (DLE) adviser, EBA-259, to clarify the appropriate means for satisfaction of the subject matter competency requirement.
4. Demonstrated knowledge of principles and provisions of United States Constitution through successful completion of three-unit college level course or examination. Courses are listed in General Catalog section on "Graduation Requirements," IV. American Institutions Requirement.
5. Passage of California Basic Educational Skills Test (CBEST).
6. Completion of an approved fifth year program (a minimum of 30 upper division or graduate-level postbaccalaureate units).
7. Demonstrated knowledge of the needs of and methods of providing educational opportunities to individuals with exceptional needs: Special Education 450.
8. Demonstrated knowledge of computer hardware, software, and applications to educational/classroom use (computer literacy).
9. Knowledge of health education in California, including substance abuse and nutrition: Teacher Education 280 – Health Education for Teachers (1 units) and verification of current CPR competency.
10. Successful completion of a California Teacher Credentialing approved Teacher Performance Assessment (edTPA).

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## Language Requirement for the B.A. Degree in Liberal Arts and Sciences

Students electing the study of American Sign Language to fulfill the language requirement for the Bachelor of Arts degree in liberal arts and sciences must successfully complete Dual Language and English Learner Education 201 or the equivalent level of achievement. The usual sequence of coursework is Dual Language and English Learner Education 101, 102, and 201. Refer to section of catalog on "Graduation Requirements" for additional ways to satisfy competency.

### High School Equivalents

High school American sign language courses may be used for purposes of placement in college courses and may be counted toward meeting the language requirement in various majors. These high school courses will not count as college credit toward graduation.

Secondary school language courses can be used as follows:

1. The first two years of high school level language count as the equivalent of the first semester of a college level course.
2. The first three years of high school level language count as the equivalent of the first two college semesters.
3. Four years of high school level language count as the equivalent of three college semesters or five college quarters, thus fulfilling the language requirement.

### Courses (DLE)

Refer to *Courses and Curricula and University Policies* sections of this catalog for explanation of the course numbering system, unit or credit hour, prerequisites, and related information.

#### LOWER DIVISION COURSES

No credit will be given for Dual Language and English Learner Education 101, 102, 201 taken out of sequence.

##### DLE 101. American Sign Language I (4) [GE]

Three lectures and one hour of discussion.

American Sign Language structure, use, literature, and deaf culture. Introductory level communication competence in ASL. Not open to students with credit in Dual Language and English Learner Education 102 or 201.

##### DLE 102. American Sign Language II (4) [GE]

Three lectures and one hour of discussion.

Prerequisite: Dual Language and English Learner Education 101.

Continuation of Dual Language and English Learner Education 101. Beginning level communication competence in American Sign Language. Not open to students with credit in Dual Language and English Learner Education 201. (Formerly numbered Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences 102.)

##### DLE 201. American Sign Language III (4) [GE]

Three lectures and one hour of discussion.

Prerequisite: Dual Language and English Learner Education 102.

Continuation of Dual Language and English Learner Education 102. Intermediate level communication competence in American Sign Language. (Formerly numbered Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences 201.)

**UPPER DIVISION COURSES**

(Intended for Undergraduates)

**DLE 400. The Secondary School and Bilingual Education (3)**

Prerequisite: Upper division standing.

Bilingual education at the secondary levels, including roles, curricular models, organization, and legal justification. Must demonstrate bilingual competencies before conclusion of course and admission to program. Taught in Spanish.

**DLE 416. Biliteracy Foundations for Teaching and Learning in Diverse Communities (3)**

Prerequisite: Upper division standing.

Oral, written, and communicative competencies in Spanish through practical experiences and study of sociopolitical and sociocultural contexts impacting bilingual learners in culturally and linguistically diverse communities. Maximum credit six units. (Dual Language and English Learner Education 416 and 416L formerly numbered Dual Language and English Learner Education 415.)

**DLE 416L. Biliteracy Foundations for Teaching and Learning in Diverse Communities Field Experience (1) Cr/NC**

Two hours of activity.

Prerequisites: Credit or concurrent registration in Dual Language and English Learner Education 416, upper division standing, and working fluency in Spanish.

Field experience in multilingual (Spanish-English) K-12 schools and communities. Maximum credit two units. (Dual Language and English Learner Education 416 and 416L formerly numbered Dual Language and English Learner Education 415.)

**DLE 496. Experimental Topics (1-4)**

Selected topics. May be repeated with new content. See *Class Schedule* for specific content. Limit of nine units of any combination of 296, 496, 596 courses applicable to a bachelor's degree.

**DLE 499. Special Study (1-3)**

Prerequisite: Consent of instructor. Open only to senior and graduate students in education who have shown ability to work independently.

Individual study. Maximum credit six units.

**UPPER DIVISION COURSES**

(Also Acceptable for Advanced Degrees)

**DLE 515. Multilingual Education: Theory and Practice for Biliteracy Teachers (3)**

Pedagogical and programmatic practices for addressing linguistic and academic needs of multilingual learners. Historical and theoretical foundations of bilingual education as related to bilingual and dual language programs to include instruction, curriculum, and assessment. Taught in Spanish and English.

**DLE 523. Psychological Foundations for Biliteracy Teachers in K-6 Classrooms (3)**

Major theories of learning and cognition as applied to bilingual students and their relation to child development, first and second language acquisition, and approaches to teaching in bilingual classroom.

**DLE 524. Psychological Foundations for Biliteracy Teachers in Grades 7-12 (1-4)**

Bilingual learning theory as it affects adolescent growth, individualized instruction, classroom management and discipline, and methods of measuring and evaluating achievement. Taught in Spanish and English. May be repeated with new content. See *Class Schedule* for specific content. Maximum credit four units.

**DLE 532. Biliteracy Teaching in Language Arts for Elementary Students (3)**

Prerequisite: Dual Language and English Learner Education 416 with a grade of C (2.0) or better. Recommended: Dual Language and English Learner Education 515 with a grade of C (2.0) or better.

Assessing language proficiency; selecting, designing, and evaluating learning experiences to develop biliteracy in K-6 classrooms in English language arts and language of emphasis (Arabic, Mandarin, or Spanish). Taught bilingually in language of emphasis and English.

**DLE 553. Language Assessment and Evaluation in Multicultural Settings (3)**

Theories and methods of assessment and evaluation of diverse student populations including authentic and traditional models. Procedures for identification, placement, and monitoring of linguistically diverse students. Theories, models, and methods for program evaluation, achievement, and decision making.

**DLE 596. Special Topics in Bilingual and Multicultural Education (1-3)**

Prerequisite: Consent of instructor.

Selected topics in bilingual, cross-cultural education and policy studies. May be repeated with new content. See *Class Schedule* for specific content. Credit for 596 and 696 applicable to a master's degree with approval of the graduate adviser.

**GRADUATE COURSES**Refer to the *Graduate Bulletin*.