

# CERTIFICATION OF WORLD LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT

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Last Name First Name Middle Initial Date

STUDENT ID \_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Declared Major: _____ Graduation Date (expected): _____
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Language (please circle): Chinese French German Hebrew Italian Japanese  
Persian (Farsi) Portuguese Spanish Vietnamese Other \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that \_\_\_\_\_ has fulfilled the World Languages Requirement for \_\_\_\_\_ (major) by meeting *at least one* of the following criteria:

- \_\_\_\_\_ passing the Advanced Placement (AP) Exam in specified Language or Literature with a score of 3, 4, or 5.
- \_\_\_\_\_ being educated in the target language as a primary language at least through the secondary school level (or equivalent) in a country outside the U.S.
- \_\_\_\_\_ completing college-level elementary language courses to reach the end of the first-year level with grades of C or better at SJSU or other college or university (end of second-year level for Global Studies majors).
- \_\_\_\_\_ completing at least one semester or two quarters of college-level intermediate language courses with grades of C or better at SJSU or other college or university (two semesters or three quarters for Global Studies majors).
- \_\_\_\_\_ completing at least one college-level of a \_\_\_\_\_ (language) for Heritage Speakers course with a grade of C or better at SJSU or other college or university.
- \_\_\_\_\_ completing at least one upper-division college course taught in target language with a grade of C or better at SJSU or other college or university.
- \_\_\_\_\_ successfully completing a language proficiency assessment in target language overseen by a faculty member from the World Languages and Literatures Department (consult your major department for number of semesters required).
- \_\_\_\_\_ successfully completing a Language Proficiency Test in specified language administered by a faculty member at another college or university who teaches that language at that institution. The document providing proof of successful completion of the Proficiency Test is written on departmental letterhead from the other institution and has a wet signature of the faculty member who administered the test.

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Language Professor (PRINT NAME)

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Language Professor Signature

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Date

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Damian Bacich, Ph.D., Chair

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Date