

MELL 2009 School Profiles by County – High Schools

Pierce County, Bethel School District

Bethel High School (# of Students: 1400)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES	YES	YES							
10	YES	YES	YES							
11	YES	YES	YES							
12	YES	YES	YES							
#Years:	4	4	4							

Date submitted: 11/25/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period	YES	Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments: <i>No other programs offered in foreign languages.</i>					

Pierce County, Bethel School District

Challenger Secondary School (# of Students:)

School offers languages? **No**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10										
11										
12										
#Years:										

Date submitted: 6/16/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments:					

Pierce County, Bethel School District

Spanaway Lake High School (# of Students: 1250)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES	YES		YES		YES				
10	YES	YES		YES		YES				
11	YES	YES		YES		YES				
12	YES	YES		YES		YES				
#Years:	3	3		3		3				

Date submitted: 11/25/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional	YES	AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments:					

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Pierce County, Clover Park School District

A-I High School (# of Students: 150)

School offers languages? **No**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10										
11										
12										
#Years:										

Date submitted: 12/15/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	YES
Explanation of Other Program: <i>Language Courses through Running Start are offered.</i>					
Other Comments: <i>There are no plans to offer language courses in the future</i>					

Pierce County, Clover Park School District

Clover Park High School (# of Students: 1150)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES	YES								
10	YES	YES								
11	YES	YES								
12	YES	YES								
#Years:	3	3								

Date submitted: 10/16/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional	YES	AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments:					

Pierce County, Clover Park School District

Lakes High School (# of Students: 1400)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES	YES	YES	YES						
10	YES	YES	YES	YES						
11	YES	YES	YES	YES						
12	YES	YES	YES	YES						
#Years:	4	4	1	4						

Date submitted: 10/29/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP	YES	Community Based	
Extended period	YES	Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program: <i>AP is only in Spanish - usually in Japanese students do independant study for the upper levels.</i>					
Other Comments: <i>German was just added back to the school, which is why they only have one year of it offered.</i>					

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Pierce County, Eatonville School District

Eatonville High School (# of Students: 675)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES	YES								
10	YES	YES								
11	YES	YES								
12	YES	YES								
#Years:	3	2								

Date submitted: 1/21/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments:					

Pierce County, Fife School District

Fife High School (# of Students: 837)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10	YES		YES			YES				
11	YES		YES			YES				
12	YES		YES			YES				
#Years:	5ormore		5ormore			4				

Date submitted: 1/22/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments:					

Pierce County, Fife School District

Learning Opportunity Center (Fife) (# of Students: 75)

School offers languages? **No**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10										
11										
12										
#Years:										

Date submitted: 12/16/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments: <i>There are no plans for language courses in the future. If students are interested in a foreign language they have the opportunity to enroll in the public highschool for that class or participate in Running Start if qualified.</i>					

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Pierce County, Franklin Pierce School District

Franklin-Pierce High School (# of Students: 30)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES			YES	YES	YES				
10	YES			YES	YES	YES				
11	YES			YES	YES	YES				
12	YES			YES	YES	YES				
#Years:	4			4	2	1				

Date submitted: 1/23/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period	YES	Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program: *Exchange program (along with Washington High School) with Chengdu Foreign Language School, Chengdu, China. Ten Chinese students visit us for two weeks in February. Ten of our students visit China for two weeks in April. Parents pay for trip and agree t*

Other Comments: *Program has just begun at Franklin Pierce. Will be expanded to two years next year, and eventually should be full four-year program.*

Pierce County, Franklin Pierce School District

Gates Secondary School (# of Students: 180)

School offers languages? **No**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10										
11										
12										
#Years:										

Date submitted: 12/16/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program:

Other Comments: *No plans to offer language courses in the future. Students are able to enroll in the public high school for those classes or participate in Running Start*

Pierce County, Franklin Pierce School District

New Pathways Storefront School (# of Students: 150)

School offers languages? **No**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10										
11										
12										
#Years:										

Date submitted: 12/16/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program:

Other Comments: *They are looking at a computer program called APEX (testing it in French currently). Not sure if the school will adopt the program yet. Can take a language through Running Start. Students take Spanish and Sign Language at other high schools.*

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Pierce County, Franklin Pierce School District

Washington High School (# of Students: 50)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES			YES	YES					
10	YES			YES	YES					
11	YES			YES	YES					
12	YES			YES	YES					
#Years:	4			4	4					

Date submitted: 1/23/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional	YES	AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program: *Annual exchange program with Chengdu Foreign Languages School, Chengdu, China. Ten Chinese students visit us for two weeks in February. Ten of our students visit China for two weeks in April. Parents pay for program and agree to host visiting students.*

Other Comments: *Considering Chinese immersion course in Elementary School.*

Pierce County, Orting School District

Orting High School (# of Students: 650)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES					YES				
10	YES					YES				
11	YES					YES				
12	YES					YES				
#Years:	3					1				

Date submitted: 11/25/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional	YES	AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program:

Other Comments: *This is the first year that ASL is offered.*

Pierce County, Peninsula School District

Gig Harbor High (# of Students: 1800)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES	YES	YES		YES	YES				
10	YES	YES	YES		YES	YES				
11	YES	YES	YES		YES	YES				
12	YES				YES	YES				
#Years:	4	3	3		3	4				

Date submitted: 10/21/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP	YES	Community Based	
Extended period	YES	Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program:

Other Comments: *NO. We have articulated spanish where students can earn college credit in our traditional classes. We also offer Running Start.*

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Pierce County, Peninsula School District

Henderson Bay Alt High School (# of Students: 126)

School offers languages? **No**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10										
11										
12										
#Years:										

Date submitted: 12/16/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program:

Other Comments: *There are no plans to offer language programs in the future. Students may enroll in local high schools or Running Start for language courses.*

Pierce County, Peninsula School District

Peninsula High School (# of Students: 1600)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES		YES		YES	YES				
10	YES		YES		YES	YES				
11	YES		YES		YES	YES				
12	YES		YES		YES	YES				
#Years:	4		3		4	3				

Date submitted: 10/7/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period	YES	Heritage		Study Abroad	YES
Trimester		Before/After School	YES	Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program: *Only Chinese has both after school programs and travel abroad at this point. American Sign Language also has an after school club that meets.*

Other Comments: *It would be helpful to have state standards and benchmarks for world languages. World Languages seem to be considered an elective and not as vital as other core classes and I think the lack of state benchmarks underscores that to those who believe language*

Pierce County, Puyallup School District

E B Walker High School (# of Students: 211)

School offers languages? **No**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10										
11										
12										
#Years:										

Date submitted: 5/19/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program:

Other Comments:

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Pierce County, Puyallup School District

Emerald Ridge High School (# of Students: 1481)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10										
11	YES	YES	YES	YES		YES				
12	YES	YES	YES	YES		YES				
#Years:	4	4	4	4		4				

Date submitted: 5/19/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments:					

Pierce County, Puyallup School District

Gov John Rogers High School (# of Students: 1800)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10	YES	YES	YES	YES		YES				
11	YES	YES	YES	YES		YES				
12	YES	YES	YES	YES		YES				
#Years:	3	3	3		3	3				

Date submitted: 8/26/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional	YES	AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments:					

Pierce County, Puyallup School District

Puyallup High School (# of Students: 1625)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10	YES	YES		YES	YES	YES				
11	YES	YES		YES	YES	YES				
12	YES	YES		YES	YES	YES				
#Years:	4	5ormore		4	3	3				

Date submitted: 11/13/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional	YES	AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments:					

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Pierce County, Steilacoom Historical School District

Steilacoom High (# of Students: 730)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES	YES								
10	YES	YES								
11	YES	YES								
12	YES	YES								
#Years:	4	4								

Date submitted: 9/25/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period	YES	Heritage		Study Abroad	YES
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program: *Parents pay for and support educational tours, summer overseas family home stays, as well as short and long-term student exchange.*

Other Comments:

Pierce County, Sumner School District

Sumner Senior High (# of Students: 1364)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES	YES		YES						
10	YES	YES		YES						
11	YES	YES		YES						
12	YES	YES		YES						
#Years:	4	4		4						

Date submitted: 8/27/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period	YES	Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program:

Other Comments:

Pierce County, Tacoma School District

Foss (# of Students: 1200)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES							YES		
10	YES	YES						YES		
11	YES	YES						YES		
12	YES	YES						4		
#Years:	4	4								

Date submitted: 3/26/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional	YES	AP	YES	Community Based	
Extended period	YES	Heritage	YES	Study Abroad	YES
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program: *We offer IB languages. We have various study-abroad opportunities, depending on the year. Russian students can earn a trip by successfully competing in the Regional Olympiada competition.*

Other Comments: *We recently lost our German program (9-12/4 years) and were denied permission to offer Japanese.*

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Pierce County, Tacoma School District

Lincoln (# of Students: 1200)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES									
10	YES	YES		YES	YES					
11	YES	YES		YES	YES					
12	YES	YES		YES	YES					
#Years:	3	2		2	2					

Date submitted: 3/26/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period	YES	Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments:					

Pierce County, Tacoma School District

Mt Tahoma (# of Students: 1895)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES									
10	YES	YES				YES				
11	YES	YES				YES				
12	YES	YES				YES				
#Years:	4	4				3				

Date submitted: 3/24/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional	YES	AP		Community Based	
Extended period	YES	Heritage	YES	Study Abroad	YES
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program: <i>Korean 9-12 grade 1st and 2nd year; Spanish for Spanish speakers is offered just two period a day. The students undertake advanced grammatical study and an intense literature program. Students are offered the opportunity to travel abroad every other year</i>					
Other Comments:					

Pierce County, Tacoma School District

Stadium (# of Students: 1950)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES									
10	YES	YES	YES	YES		YES				
11	YES	YES	YES	YES		YES				
12	YES	YES	YES	YES		YES				
#Years:	5ormore	5ormore	3	4		3				

Date submitted: 3/25/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP	YES	Community Based	
Extended period	YES	Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments:					

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Pierce County, Tacoma School District

Tacoma School of the Arts (# of Students: 450)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10	YES									
11	YES									
12	YES									
#Years:	3									

Date submitted: 3/25/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	YES
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program: *Our school has taken Spanish foreign language students to study at language institutes in Morelia, Mexico and San Juan, Costa Rica. We have done this program for four years. The students pay their own fee and spend three weeks the month of January living*

Other Comments: *We are considering offering Chinese at the school we are opening this year (September 2009) at Point Defiance Park.*

Pierce County, Tacoma School District

Wilson (# of Students:)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES	YES				YES				
10	YES	YES				YES				
11	YES	YES				YES				
12	YES	YES				YES				
#Years:	5ormore	5ormore				2				

Date submitted: 6/5/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period	YES	Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program:

Other Comments:

Pierce County, University Place School District

Curtis Bridge Program (# of Students:)

School offers languages? **No**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10										
11										
12										
#Years:										

Date submitted: 6/5/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	

Explanation of Other Program:

Other Comments:

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Pierce County, University Place School District

Curtis Senior High (# of Students: 1400)

School offers languages? **Yes**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9	YES	YES		YES						
10	YES	YES		YES		YES				
11	YES	YES		YES		YES				
12	YES	YES		YES		YES				
#Years:	4	4		4		2				

Date submitted: 9/22/2008

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional	YES	AP	YES	Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	YES
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments:					

Pierce County, White River School District

Collins Alternative Programs (# of Students:)

School offers languages? **No**

Grade	Spanish	French	German	Japanese	Chinese	ASL	Latin	Russian	Arabic	Native
9										
10										
11										
12										
#Years:										

Date submitted: 6/12/2009

Native American Language:

Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?	Type of Programs:	Offered?
Traditional		AP		Community Based	
Extended period		Heritage		Study Abroad	
Trimester		Before/After School		Other Program?	
Explanation of Other Program:					
Other Comments:					