

Home Language Survey

Introduction:

This survey is the first of three steps to identify whether or not a student is eligible to be an English language learner (ELL). Start with "Question 1" and continue until the Home Language Survey is complete. Select the answer for each question and follow the directions.

Student Information

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Birthdate: _____

Survey Questions

1. What was the first language used by the student?

(If a language other than English, proceed to question 2a.
If English, continue to question 2b)

- 2a. At home, does the student hear or use a language other than English more than half of the time?

YES

NO

(If yes, go to question 7 and list home language(s) spoken. HLS is complete.)

- 2b. At home, does the student hear or use a language other than English more than half of the time?

YES

NO

(If yes, go to question 4. If no, continue to question 3.)

3. Does the student understand a language other than English?

YES

NO

(If yes, continue to question 4. If no, do not proceed to Step 2: Record Review Process. HLS is complete.
Student is not an ELL.)

4. When interacting with his/her parents/guardians, does this student use a language other than English more than half of the time?

YES NO

(If yes, continue to question 7 and list the home language(s) spoken. HLS is complete. Proceed to Step2: Records Review Process. If no, continue to Question 5.)

5. When interacting with caregivers other than his/her parents or guardians, does the student use a language other than English more than half of the time?

YES NO

(If yes, continue to question 7 and list the home language(s) spoken. HLS is complete. Proceed to Step2: Records Review Process. If no, continue to Question 6.)

6. Has the student recently moved from another school district where he/she was identified as an English language learner?

YES NO

If yes, continue to question 7 and list the home language(s) spoken. HLS is complete. Proceed to Step2: Records Review Process.

If no, do not proceed to Step 2: Records Review Process. HLS is complete. Student is not an ELL.

7. List home languages spoken.
