



Montclair High School New Jersey Seal of Biliteracy 2018-2019 School Year



Attention: ALL Montclair High School Seniors
Re: New Jersey Seal of Biliteracy

- ❖ **Step #1:** Please carefully review the following resources to learn more regarding the New Jersey Seal of Biliteracy, as well as how you may earn this graduation honor awarded annually by the New Jersey Department of Education:
 - [MPS Seal of Biliteracy Letter of Introduction](#)
 - [MPS Seal of Biliteracy Informational Video](#)
 - [MPS Seal of Biliteracy Informational Presentation \(with Links\)](#)
 - [MPS Seal of Biliteracy Frequently Asked Questions](#)
 - [New Jersey Department of Education Seal of Biliteracy Webpage](#)

- ❖ **Step #2:** If interested in receiving the New Jersey Seal of Biliteracy, please take [this brief Google Survey](#).
 - Please note that you **must be logged in to your MPD Google account** in order to access this survey.
 - This survey will be open from **Monday, November 26, 2018 through Friday, December 21, 2018**. Please be sure to complete the survey within this window of time.

- ❖ **Step #3:** If you indicated on the survey that you wish to partake in the January 2019 administration of the Avant STAMP 4S assessment, you will be contacted by Mr. Frank Sedita, Supervisor of World Languages & ESL regarding testing arrangements in early January 2019. If you have already demonstrated proficiency by earning a 4 or higher on an Advanced Placement language and culture exam from May 2018, you will receive confirmation regarding your eligibility to receive the Seal of Biliteracy once your English Language Arts graduation requirement has been confirmed.

Questions?

Please feel free to reach out to Mr. Frank Sedita, Supervisor of World Languages & ESL K-12 directly with any questions or concerns pertaining to the New Jersey Seal of Biliteracy either via email (fsedita@montclair.k12.nj.us) or phone at (973-) 509-4230.

Thank you,
Mr. Frank Sedita
Supervisor of World Languages & ESL, K-12
Montclair Public Schools