



NEW MEXICO PUBLIC EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

LANGUAGE USAGE SURVEY

~for parent or guardian to complete~

The purpose of this survey is to ensure that your child receives the highest quality education and services to which he or she is entitled. The information you provide will be used only to assist the school in making program decisions. You will complete this form only once in your child's educational career.

Student's Name:	Date of Birth:	Grade Level:
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Answer each question by marking either the **YES** or **NO** box.

	YES	NO
1. Does the student use a language(s) other than English with his/her family and friends?		
2. Do you use a language(s) other than English with the student?		
3. Does the student understand when someone communicates with him/her in a language other than English?		
4. Does the student read in a language(s) other than English?		
5. Does the student write in a language(s) other than English?		
6. Does the student interpret for you or anyone else in a language(s) other than English?		

7. If you answered YES on one or more of questions 1-6, what language(s) other than English does the student use most frequently at home? Choose up to three.

☐ American Sign Language (ASL)☐ Arabic☐ Cantonese☐ Diné☐ French☐ Greek☐ Hmong☐ Jicarilla Apache☐ Italian☐ Keres☐ Khmer☐ Korean☐ Mescalero Apache☐ Mandarin☐ Portuguese☐ Russian☐ Somali☐ Spanish☐ Tiwa☐ Tewa☐ Towa☐ Vietnamese☐ Zuni☐ Other _____

OTHER QUESTIONS

8. Is the student transferring from another state, district, or school? Yes No
If yes, please provide location and name of school:

9. Has the student received schooling/education in a language(s) other than English? If YES, which language(s)? Yes No

10. In what language do you prefer to receive communication from the school?

11. In what language would you prefer to communicate with school staff?

12. Is there anything else we should know about how to best serve your child?

Signature of Parent or Guardian: Date:

Translator: Language: Date: