

2026 - 2027 Multilingual Learning Summer Placements

(5/23/2026)

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

🚩 All incoming students must complete [Stevenson's 2026-2027 Enrollment process](#) before participating in a placement exam. No Exceptions. *NOTE: Students may take only one (1) placement exam for each language.*

Multilingual Learning courses offered:

- Chinese* ([Pinyin keyboard](#))
- French
- German
- Hebrew
- Latin
- Spanish

Summer 2026 language placements for:

- Incoming transfer students with [prior experience](#)

2026 2027 SUMMER EXAM DATES: (only one exam per window)

- Friday, 6/5
- Tuesday, 6/23
- Friday, 7/10
- Friday, 7/17
- Friday, 7/24

TWO SESSIONS EACH EXAM DAY: (only one exam per window)

Students must be registered for the exam at least 48 hours before the testing date. No walk-ins allowed.

There will be two (2) testing windows available on each testing day. One in the morning and one in the afternoon to accommodate students enrolled in SHS Summer School. The exam duration is approximately 1 1/2 hours. Students may only take one (1) exam per session window.

MORNING SESSION

- **Check-in between:** Rolling check-in from **8:00 to 8:30 am.**
- **Entrance:** Point Entrance ([see map below](#))
- **Location:** College Career Center, Rm. 1123
- **Drop-off/ Pick-up:** Point Entrance
Once the student has completed the exam, they will contact the parent/guardian for pickup at the exact location.

*** Exam time varies from student to student. Students may leave once they've completed the exam and contact their parents/guardians for pick-up.*

AFTERNOON SESSION

- **Check-in:** Check-in by **1:30 pm**. *Students who arrive after 1:30 pm will be turned away and asked to re-register for another exam date.*
- **Entrance:** Point Entrance ([see map below](#))
- **Location:** College Career Center, Rm. 1123
- **Drop-off/ Pick-up:** Point Entrance
Once the student has completed the exam, they will contact the parent/guardian for pickup at the exact location.

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WHAT TO BRING:

- **Please bring earbuds** to connect to a Chromebook or MacBook. SHS will only provide the testing device.
- Pen and pencil
- Cell phones are allowed but must be turned off and remain in a backpack or bag.
- Water bottle (*optional*)

CHECK-IN and DEPARTURE PROCESS

- Students will receive a notecard detailing unique login information during check-in.
- Notecards must remain on the desk at all times and returned to the proctor upon completion.
- Notecards not returned will result in a voided exam.
- Once the exam is completed and the notecard is turned in, students may quietly gather their items and exit via the Point entrance. They will not be allowed to wander in the school.
- Parents/guardians may not wait for the student in the building.

NO EXPERIENCE:

Students **without** previous instruction or exposure to a language **DO NOT** have to register for a placement exam and will be placed in a Level 1 class.

PRIOR EXPERIENCE:

All incoming students with prior language coursework or experience, Heritage, or Native speakers interested in taking Chinese, French, German, Hebrew, Latin, or Spanish must take an online placement exam at Stevenson. Students interested in testing for Latin placement will take a paper exam.

TESTING INFORMATION:

Students testing in Chinese, French, German, and Spanish will test in three (3) domains via a computer-based online exam named AAPPL, form A. The domains are Interpretive Reading, Listening, and

Writing. Please visit the AAPPL [Tips and Tricks link](#) for the Interpretive Reading, Listening, and Writing sections, and this [Demo link](#) for test format information (Form A).

WRITING PORTION: *Chinese, French, German, Spanish, Hebrew*

**Students will use the device keyboard to initiate accents in each language. Vocabulary use, appropriate elaboration, transitions, and tenses are encouraged.*

Students testing in Chinese will use the Pinyin keyboard layout via the laptop.

Students taking the Latin placement exam will complete it on paper. A pen is needed to complete.

PLACEMENT RESULTS & NOTIFICATION:

Assessment results determine the student's level of proficiency and the appropriate course level of placement.

Course placements/recommendations will be emailed to families four (4) weeks from the test date.

Students who do not take a placement exam will not receive their course schedule in August.

POINT ENTRANCE

