



Promote Multilingual Academic Excellence!

Cal Poly Pomona Education Department

Bilingual Program

Are you a CPP Multiple or Single Subject Teaching Credential Candidate? The Pre-Credential Pathway is for you!

Pre-Credential Pathway

APPLY

Apply as you apply to a credential program:

1. When completing [online credential program](#), indicate application to bilingual program
2. Upload bilingual program essay in Filipino, Spanish or Mandarin (see prompt in online application)
3. Complete Bilingual Program Orientation ([Bilingual Program Webpage](#))
4. Meet with Bilingual Coordinator to check, or complete, program plan

OR

Apply after admission to a credential program:

1. Complete the program orientation ([Bilingual Program Webpage](#))
2. Meet with Bilingual Coordinator to revise program plan
3. Complete Petition to Change/Add Credential Objective, email to [Credential Analyst](#)
4. Upload a bilingual program entrance essay in the language of your Bilingual Authorization (Filipino, Spanish or Mandarin) to “Future Bilingual Teachers” on Canvas.

1. COMPLETE LANGUAGE REQUIREMENT BEFORE APPLYING TO BILINGUAL CLINICAL PRACTICE

Pass the World Languages CSET III for Spanish or Mandarin, CSET II for Filipino. Upload evidence of passing to “Future Bilingual Teachers” on Canvas.

2. COMPLETE COURSES BEFORE BILINGUAL CLINICAL PRACTICE

Filipino	Mandarin	Spanish
<i>Synchronous Online</i> EDU 5450 Bilingual Practice Seminar (3) (includes 20 field hours). Offered FALL ONLY.	<i>Synchronous Online</i> Methods Course with a partner CSU (includes 20 field hours)	<i>Face-to-Face</i> EDU 5400: Teaching and Learning in Spanish-English Bilingual Settings (3) (includes 20 field hours). Offered FALL ONLY.
<i>Synchronous Online</i> EDU 5990: Special Topics for Graduate Students Offered in SPRING ONLY.	<i>Synchronous Online</i> EDU 5990: Special Topics for Graduate Students (3) Offered in SPRING ONLY.	<i>Synchronous Online</i> EDU 5990: Special Topics for Graduate Students (3) Offered in SPRING ONLY.

3. COMPLETE BILINGUAL CLINICAL PRACTICE & BILINGUAL PROGRAM EXIT SURVEY

Multiple Subject	Single Subject
Spanish & Mandarin BiLA Clinical practice in a Dual Language (DL) setting, teaching approximately ½ time in English and ½ time in partner language.	Spanish & Mandarin BiLA Clinical practice in a Dual Language setting if available OR Clinical practice in an English setting serving students who are native speakers of partner language; Bilingual Practice Portfolio Entry
Filipino BiLA Clinical Practice may differ depending on availability.	
2 Summative Bilingual Practice Entries (Guidelines, resources and submissions links on Canvas)	

Bilingual Coordinators:

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