

## What is Dual Immersion?

*Dual Immersion is a challenging and rigorous academic program that begins in kindergarten and continues through fifth grade. Spanish is the target language of instruction. Students learn in Spanish in K-1 grades and master the Spanish skills to add on the English language skills at third grade and beyond.*

*As the level of instruction in the DI program holds an added value of rigor, it prepares students for future participation in TCHS's International Baccalaureate Program and Diploma.*

	% Spanish	% English
<b>K</b>	90%	10%
<b>1</b>	90%	10%
<b>2</b>	80%	20%
<b>3</b>	75%	25%
<b>4</b>	50%	50%
<b>5</b>	50%	50%

## International Baccalaureate Diploma Program at Temescal Canyon High School

IB coursework and the distinguished IB Diploma give students a sense of international – mindedness for a lifetime of active, responsible citizenship. IB Diploma graduates also receive college units and a rich balanced education that prepares students for success in their future university studies.



**Dual Immersion 2016**

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English~Spanish



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## ▶ Program Goals

- ◇ Develop high levels of proficiency in reading, writing, listening, and speaking in two languages
- ◇ High academic performance in all content areas
- ◇ Develop a deep understanding and appreciation of cultures
- ◇ Develop skills in cross cultural communication and a sense of global citizenship
- ◇ Develop the ability to study and communicate across the curriculum in two languages

## ▶ Enrollment Process

1. Attend Parent Information Meeting at RRC
2. Complete Dual Immersion Application
3. Attend Parent Walkthrough by Appointment Only

## ▶ Prioritization

- ◇ Siblings in DI Program
- ◇ School of Residence
- ◇ Balance of Classroom Makeup

## Upcoming Events

Parent Information Meeting (Spanish)	Wednesday, February 17 8:30 AM School MPR
Parent Information Meeting (English)	Wednesday, February 17 9:30 AM School MPR
Parent Information Meeting (Spanish)	Friday, February 26 4:00 PM School Library
Parent Information Meeting (English)	Friday, February 26 5:00 PM School Library
Parent Information Meeting (English/Spanish)	Monday, March 14 2:00 PM School Library
Parent Information Meeting (English/Spanish)	Thursday, March 17 2:00 PM School Library
Applications for Dual Immersion Due	Friday, March 25
DI Classroom Walkthroughs	April 2016 By Appointment Only
DI Lottery & Admission Notice	May 6

## Parent Agreements:

- ◇ Participation in the program is voluntary and they are making this choice for their children
- ◇ Their children are taught in the target language 90% of the time in Kindergarten and First grades (Children can, at all times, use their primary language to express needs)
- ◇ Parents agree to keep their children in the program from kindergarten through fifth grade in order to achieve the goals of the program.
- ◇ Parents are equal partners in the education of their child
- ◇ Parents must gain an understanding of the program requirements to ensure student success



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