

PROGRAM GOALS

FOREIGN LANGUAGE

1. The student is able to develop competent oral comprehension skills, such that he/she is able to respond to simple oral cues and directions.
2. The student is able to speak at a basic level which includes asking and answering questions, responding to simple cues and directions, and carrying on a simple conversation.
3. The student is able to demonstrate basic writing skills, including knowledge of basic verb tenses, ability to write at paragraph level, and ability to respond in writing to oral or written cues and directions.
4. The student is able to comprehend basic written material competently, follow written directions, and translate basic textual passages with few errors in comprehension.
5. The student is able to demonstrate an awareness of the foreign culture, including the ability to locate the language areas on a map, draw a basic map of the main country, develop a sociological profile of the people, be familiar with the major idiomatic expressions and customs of the culture, and compare and contrast the foreign culture with the student's native culture.