

The Green Local Schools World Language Department is dedicated to helping students become global citizens who possess the crucial 21st Century college- and career-readiness skills of communication in other languages and cross-cultural understanding. In order to foster independent growth, teachers facilitate student learning in all levels with authentic resources which go beyond grammar and vocabulary to develop critical thinking skills in listening, reading, speaking and writing. When students take responsibility for their understanding of languages and cultures, they commit to being life-long, goal-oriented learners who can communicate effectively in a global society. Willingness to take risks and accept the ambiguity of language is a tenet of the classroom experience, as teachers create opportunities for students to achieve the benchmarks of each level of proficiency. Ultimately, we believe that to study another language and culture is to add multiple dimensions to one’s education and we are committed to helping each student recognize and strengthen these connections.

**WORLD LANGUAGE RETESTING**

In the event that a student has not demonstrated mastery of material on an assessment, (s)he may request to be retested up to two times during the course\*. Upon receiving the graded assessment, the student will notify the teacher (s)he wishes to be retested.

To be eligible, the student may not have any missing or incomplete work for that unit. The teacher will determine what reteaching and/or relearning should take place and arrangements will be made for the student to complete it on his/her own time. Finally, the *retest must take place within 1 week* of receiving the original graded test.

*\*Note: No retesting may take place during final week of a grading period.*

**BEHAVIOR**

- ❑ Treat me and each other with respect and I will treat you with respect
- ❑ Violators of the school rules will be recorded in the grade book; this includes:
  - forgetting material
  - chewing gum or eating in class
  - incomplete homework or assignments, (3 missing = detention)
  - being inconsiderate of others, etc.

**MATERIAL**

- ❑ Bring a three-ring binder to class. Try to have this by Monday.
  - I will hole punch all handouts for you

**CLASSROOM PROCEDURES**

- ❑ Come to class **on time** and **ready to work!**
- ❑ Place all other books and homework aside
- ❑ **Take out the previous night’s homework** at the **START** of class and be ready for the day’s lesson



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*Printed parent/guardian name*

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