The vision for CCSD59 is that all students who participate in the Polish Dual Language Program will be bilingual/biliterate and culturally aware in order to be highly successful in a global society.

Research indicates that learning another language (social and academic) takes 5-7 years. Because of this, parents are expected to make a 6 year commitment to the program (K-5).

PROGRAM GOALS

- Students will work towards performing at grade level or above academically in both English and Polish.
- Students will develop high levels of proficiency in English and Polish in the four language domains (listening, speaking, reading, and writing).
- Students will demonstrate positive cross cultural attitudes and behaviors.

PROGRAM BASICS

- Two languages are used for instruction (English and Polish).
- Our program follows the "50/50" model of instruction:

ENGLISH	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%
	K	1	2	3	4	5
POLISH	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%	50%

It is important to be aware that CCSD59 offers one type of Polish Dual Language program.



ONE-WAY DUAL LANGUAGE

The One-way Dual Language program is for English Language Learners that have Polish as a heritage language.

Students are admitted in the program based on their eligibility to receive English Language Learning services.

The One-way Polish Dual Language program is located at Clearmont Elementary School.

If you are interested in learning more about the Polish Dual Language program at CCSD59 please contact the district's Instruction Department at (847) 593-4305.



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