# Language Instruction Educational Program Codes

| Code | Description |
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| 1 | English as Second Language (ESL) or English Language Development (ELD) - ESL-certified teacher provides explicit language instruction to students. Instruction focuses on development of proficiency in the English language, including grammar, vocabulary and communication skills. |
| 2 | Content Classes with integrated ESL support - ESL-certified teacher provides language instruction that uses content as a medium for building language skills. Although using content as a means, instruction is still focused primarily on learning English. |
| 3 | Newcomer Program - ELs who are recent immigrants and typically have low literacy and are new to formal education settings receive specialized schooling designed to acclimate them to the American school setting and prepare them to participate in mainstream classes. |
| 4 | Transitional Bilingual - Students begin in grade K or 1 by receiving instruction all or mostly in their L1, and transition incrementally over to English. Typically, transition to all English is complete by mid- to late elementary school. L1 is used to leverage L2 acquisition, but L1 proficiency is not a program goal. |
| 5 | Dual Language or Two-way Immersion - ELs and non-ELs receive instruction in English and a non-English language. |

End of Record