

# WORLD LANGUAGE DEPARTMENT



## Philosophy

The philosophy of world language study in the Waterbury Public School System, grades PreK-12, is to encourage global, multi-cultural awareness in students. In an increasingly interdependent world, multi-lingual communication has become a necessity. Through exposure to communication skills, students will be offered the opportunity to develop an ability to express themselves in a language other than their native tongue. We believe that we must recognize the individual differences of all of our students and seek to foster their self-esteem, self-confidence, and critical thinking.

## World Language Courses

### Course Offerings

Italian

Spanish

## Student Clubs and Organizations

International Language Club

## Resources

Language Progression Guide