Shift Toward Target Language Proficiency Levels

All Students--EL, EO, and FEP--will be assigned a Target Language Proficiency Level in lieu of TLA and TLD grades.

(*See below for guidelines for Grades K & 1)

Target Language Proficiency Levels

Five major proficiency levels:
- Distinguished
- Superior
- Advanced
- Intermediate
- Novice

Three sublevels for Novice, Intermediate, and Advanced
- High
- Mid
- Low

For a description of the levels and targets, refer to ACTFL Proficiency Guidelines and LAUSD Target Language Proficiency Benchmarks.

Assigning Target Language Proficiency Levels

Teachers will assign a two-character level for each student.

*Guidelines for Grades K & 1

All Grade K & 1 students will receive TLP levels. In addition, Grade K & 1 students will receive language arts grades in the Target Language. Then from grade 2, their language arts grades will be in English.