



ENGLEWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT (EPSD)

ONE-WAY DEVELOPMENTAL/ DUAL/ ESL & WORLD LANGUAGES DEPARTMENT

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2014-2015 Project IMAGE at GRIECO FAQ

How does the program work at Grieco?

For the 2014-2015 school year, EPSD will offer an immersion model at Grieco via content-based instruction. First and second grade students will be picked up during their related arts and social studies/science blocks to receive instruction in these areas through Mandarin. They will receive Mandarin for 80 minutes each day. Third grade students will receive 40 minutes Mandarin instruction during their related art periods every day.

What are the differences between the Mandarin program at Quarles and the Mandarin program at Grieco?

At Quarles, every Kindergarten student will learn Mandarin once a week as one of the related arts subject. At Grieco, you have to register your child for the Mandarin program. Once registered, instead of going to the related arts classes everyday, second grade Mandarin students will receive instruction and learns the other related arts subjects in an 80- minute session. Third grade students will be provided the same but only during their related arts sessions and for 40 minutes a day.

Can I register my child in second or third grade?

Unfortunately we only offer beginning level Mandarin at first grade. We do not accept second grade and third grade entry.

What if I apply for the program and there is no availability?

We accept application forms up to the second marking period in a school year. Your child still has an opportunity to be accepted in the event other students withdraw move from the program or move out of district.