

World Languages Regional Teacher Leader Application
World Languages in Maine Schools: Standards-Based Instruction and Assessment Initiative

1. RESUME

Please attach your current resume. Be sure to include any memberships in professional organizations.

2. PERSONAL INFORMATION

First name:	Last name:
Email address:	Cell phone:
Home address:	Work address:
Home phone:	Work phone:
Current teaching assignment:	
If selected, I will: <input type="checkbox"/> commute to the Summer Institute <input type="checkbox"/> require overnight lodging during the Summer Institute.	

FOR NEW TEACHER LEADERS ONLY (returning Teacher Leaders jump to #5 below):

3. PARAGRAPH OF INTENT AND INTEREST

Selected individuals will be expected to become active leaders in helping to develop and support standards-based instruction and assessment in world language education in Maine schools. Please attach a brief overview of your reason for applying, including interest in and current/past experiences relevant to the focus of this initiative, whether or not you have attended a standards-based workshop provided by a Teacher Leader, or any other experience you have with standards-based education.

4. ADMINISTRATOR LETTER

Selected individuals will be responsible for sharing their newly developed expertise and related classroom experiences with other language instructors in their region. Please attach a letter of recommendation from your administrator (e.g., principal, superintendent).

5. VERIFICATION INFORMATION

I verify that all information that I have provided is accurate and that I wish to be considered as a World Languages Regional Teacher Leader in Maine.	
If I am not selected as a Regional Teacher Leader, I am interested in being considered as a regular participant in the Summer Institute on June 24-27, 2014.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Signature:	Date:

Individuals wishing to be considered for participation must submit a completed application by May 1, 2014 via fax, email, or postal service to:

Jay Ketner, World Languages Specialist
jay.ketner@maine.gov fax: 207.624.6821
Maine Department of Education, 23 State House Station, Augusta, ME 04333

Notification will occur no later than May 15. Representation from all regions of the state, as well as languages and levels, will be considered in the selection process. Full payment for regular participants will be due May 31. FLAME membership (\$35) is required of all teacher leaders and regular participants.