**Maine Seal of Biliteracy Application Form**

**Section 1: Please print legibly.**

Student’s Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ State Student ID: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

* If there is any chance that you may attend any University of Maine campus, check this box to share your accomplishment of the Seal of Biliteracy with the University of Maine system and ensure that you will receive college credit.

*The following information is being asked to ensure that the appropriate criteria for proficiency are being submitted. Your answer will not be used in any other capacity.*

* Check if you are a current or former English learner

School Point of Contact: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Name Email address*

Guidance Department Contact: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

*Name Email address*

**Section 2: Criteria for English Proficiency. Check one box and attach proof to this application.**

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|  | Meeting English Language Arts (ELA) standards required for graduation | *Include copy of transcript or letter from Guidance Counselor* |
|  | 480 or above for ELA on SAT | *Your State Student ID will be used to locate your scores* |
|  | Score of 3 or above on AP English Language | *Include copy of score report* |
|  | Score of 3 or above on AP English Literature | *Include copy of score report* |
|  | Composite Proficiency Level of 4.5 or above on ACCESS for ELLs | *Your State Student ID will be used to locate your scores* |

**Section 3: Criteria for Proficiency in an Additional Language. Check one box and attach proof to this application.**

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|  | World Language Assessment | *Include copy of score report* |
|  | Foreign Transcript | *Include copy of transcript and translated copy of transcript* |
|  | Other | *Proof as agreed upon with the World Language Specialist at the Maine Department of Education* |

*If you have not had an opportunity to become literate in your primary or home language, you may request an exemption for test components related to reading and writing. If you would like to request an exemption, please explain in 4-5 sentences the circumstance(s) that have led to you requesting an exemption:*

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Student’s signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**If student is under 18,**

Parent/Guardian name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Parent/Guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_