

# World Language Enrichment Class

## *Sponsored by the Hatch PTO*

We're raising global citizens at Hatch! Complement the wonderful Spanish classes taught by Señora Bruno and help prepare your child for the middle school IB curriculum by enrolling him or her in lunchtime world language classes. Open to all grade levels, but recommended for grades 2-5. The program runs November-April and meets Tuesdays during lunch, totaling 20 classes. See back to learn more about our instructors.

### Program Objectives:

- To inspire students to have a positive attitude towards foreign languages and to increase appreciation and awareness of diverse cultures.
- To introduce students to basic listening and speaking skills in another language and expose students to the culture of countries in which the language is spoken. Vocabulary topics may include greetings & pleasantries, describing oneself, animals, colors, simple actions, daily activities, feelings.
- As students advance, some reading and writing may be introduced.

## **Register now!**

Questions? Contact PTO World Language Chair, Christine Wehman at [schulady@yahoo.com](mailto:schulady@yahoo.com).

# Registration Form: Due October 11, 2019.

**Please include tuition payment with this form and submit to Hatch office.**

**Make check payable to Hatch PTO. Minimum class size: 6.**

Student 1: name, grade & teacher \_\_\_\_\_

French \$170       German \$170       Spanish \$170

Does student have prior experience in this language?

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Student 2: name, grade & teacher \_\_\_\_\_

French \$140       German \$140       Spanish \$140

Does student have prior experience in this language?

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*If additional students, please add to back.*

Parent/Guardian's name \_\_\_\_\_

Email address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number \_\_\_\_\_

# World Language Enrichment Instructors

## **French – Lori Robert**

*Lori Robert is a fluent French speaker raising two bilingual children along with her French husband. She completed a French minor at the University of Arizona and went on to spend a year abroad in Paris. She has experience teaching private lessons and co-teaches weekly lessons with her husband for the French-Speaking Children's Group of Oak Park and River Forest. Her classes will focus on speaking and comprehension through fun songs, hands-on activities, games and short stories.*

## **German – Lisa Peters**

*Lisa Krueger Peters spent a year abroad at University in Germany and Austria before receiving her Illinois Teaching Certificate in German Language and then going on to teach German in high school (levels I, II, III, & IV), junior high (7th & 8th grades), and elementary school levels K - 6 over a 25+ year career. Her classes emphasize having fun while employing listening and speaking skills to complete small and large hands-on projects, as well as singing songs, playing games, reading books, and many other educational activities.*

## **Spanish – Gabriella Martinez**

*Gabriella Martinez was born and raised in Ecuador. She has a daughter in D97 and has worked as a teacher assistant at the Language and Music School in Oak Park as well as the YMCA prior to joining us at Hatch in 2018. She strives to create a positive learning experience for every child in class while helping them develop and master their language skills. She encourages respect and sharing.*