



Delaware World Language Teacher Leader Network

The **Delaware World Language Teacher Leader Network** is a partnership between the Delaware Department of Education and Delaware school districts and charter schools with the purpose of building **district level capacity** to improve the teaching and learning of languages other than English in Delaware public K-12 schools. The ultimate goal is to ensure that all Delaware public school students develop the life-long language skills they need for **success in college, career and life**.

Members of the Delaware World Language Teacher Leader Network are selected by the participating school districts or charter schools. Members have access to all information related to the Network, including agendas, minutes, PowerPoint presentations and all other meeting-related documents, in the Network's Schoology Group. If you are a designated member and are unable to access the site or have any questions regarding how to become a member of the Network, please do not hesitate to contact the Delaware World Language Teacher Network Board Chair, [Jennifer Campbell](#), or [Gregory Fulkerson](#), Education Associate, World Languages & Dual Language Immersion.

The Delaware World Language Teacher Leader Network is governed by a Network Board of six people. Members of the Teacher Leader Network vote for the Network Board, which is composed of one World Language Teacher Leader from each county, one district curriculum supervisor whose duties include the supervision of world language teachers, an invited university world language teacher educator and the DOE Education Associate for World Languages. The Board Chair and Board Chair-Elect are elected from the designated representatives.

Delaware World Language Teacher Leader Network Board 2025-27

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