



Background

Canada is a nation of two official languages, English and French. Thus, the Calgary Girls Charter School offers both English and French language instruction.

Procedures

1. French as a Second Language (FSL) is offered in accordance with the Program of Studies and relevant FSL curriculum documents.
2. In scheduling French programs, the Principal is expected to follow the recommendations for time allotment and frequency of instruction noted in the Guide to Education.
3. FSL may be a mandatory program for students in grades 4-6, but is offered as an elective (option) for junior high aged students (middle grades 7-9).

Reference:

Education Act, s. 11, 15, 17, 19, 52, 53, 54, 222

Section 23, Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedom

Policy 1.5.2 – French as a Second Language and French Language Immersion

Guide to Education ECS to Grade 12