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Dear Sixth Grade Parents/Guardians:

Next year as 7th graders, your children will have the wonderful opportunity to learn a World Language here at the Middle School. We are presently planning to offer **(1) Italian, (1) Latin, (1) French, and (6) Spanish classes** for the 2021/2022 school year. Adding World Language to your child's schedule will represent a significant increase with regard to class work, homework, and general academic standards.

You have an opportunity to list your preference for a World Language. We ask **everyone** to select a first and second choice. **Although every effort will be made to enroll your child in his or her first choice, please be reminded that we only offer one section each in French, Latin and Italian.** If there are more than 28 students (as the class register for these classes is 28) who want these languages, we will hold a lottery. If your child's first choice and second choice is French, Latin and /or Italian, their ticket will be placed in their first choice lottery. Please [click here](#) to select your child's World Language choices by May 24, 2021.

If you do not complete this form, a language will be selected for him/her.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

Maria A. Paese
Principal



U.S. Department of Education – Pearl River Middle School – 2011 Blue Ribbon Winner
N.Y.S. Department of Education – Pearl River Middle School – 2015 Rewards School