

**A professional development series for teachers of world languages
suitable for any language and grade level**

Mission statement

- ✦ To support and empower all world language educators as they develop and implement the best strategies for assessing learning

This series features:

- ✦ Instruction derived from assessment design
- ✦ Content linked to formative and performance assessments
- ✦ Assessment of all three modes of communication: interpretive, presentational, and interpersonal
- ✦ Assessment of world cultural awareness: products, practices, and perspectives
- ✦ Framework for approaching assessment
- ✦ Assessments based on the state and national proficiency guidelines
- ✦ Students improving their language proficiency

Seven 15-minutes programs

- ✦ Assessing Communication
- ✦ Assessments for Learning
- ✦ Types of Assessment
- ✦ Assessment Tools
- ✦ Technology in Assessment
- ✦ Assessing Cultural Competence
- ✦ Using Feedback in Assessment

How can educators view this series for their own professional development?

- ✦ Broadcast on Wisconsin Public Television
http://explore.ecb.org/ecbschema/plsql/IDEA3D?THE_NOLA1=2WLA
- ✦ Datacast directly to schools
<http://www.datacastwisconsin.org/>
- ✦ DVDs (2-disc set)
http://explore.ecb.org/ecbschema/plsql/teacher_manual2
- ✦ On-demand over the internet
<http://www.ecb.org/WorldLanguageAssessment>

Note: The classroom segments were videotaped entirely in Wisconsin during the 2007-2008 school year at the following locations:

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| ✦ De Pere East High School | ✦ Menasha School District |
| ✦ Harland-Arrowhead High School | ✦ Milwaukee Woodlands Elementary |
| ✦ Holmen High School | ✦ Oregon High School |
| ✦ Monroe High School | ✦ River Falls Middle School |
| ✦ Manitowoc Lincoln High School | ✦ Waunakee School District |