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Ms. Cammy Goucher

Director of English Language Learners

Missouri Department of Elementary and Secondary Education

Jefferson City, MO 65101

Dear Ms. Goucher,

Ozarks Technical Community College is happy to award college credit to high school students thru the Seal of Biliteracy Program. At OTC, we understand the advantage that students gain from learning a second language and we want to support those students with this Program.

As learners, progress into the 21<sup>st</sup> century the skill of speaking more than one language will allow the student to gain entry into many jobs not only in Southwest Missouri but also across the globe.

Please let me know if you have any questions and know that Ozarks Technical Community College is an advocate for this program and students that earn this status.

Best,

Lance Renner, PhD

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