



## YOUNG SCHOLARS OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA CHARTER SCHOOL Language Survey Results

Dear Parents,

This is to inform you about the results of the language survey that we had sent to the parents of our student applicants, including yourself. The survey was designed to contribute to the decision-making regarding which critical language should be taught at YSWPCS.

As included in the language choice survey, several language options were considered for students attending YSWPCS, including Chinese, Spanish, Russian, French, Turkish, German and Korean.

We now have the result of the language choice survey. The results suggest that 53 potential parents out of 60 and 69 potential students out of 79 have responded to the survey (Combined participation rate over 88%). Of these parent participants 48 reported their responses by mail and 5 by email. Potential parents were given the option to select more than one language in order of priority. The parents' results suggested that the two most frequently selected critical languages were Spanish and Turkish. As presented in the chart, Spanish, the first choice, received the highest level of support (33%, n= 34) while Turkish, the second choice, received around 22% (n= 23) support from the potential parents. The distribution of parents' support for all languages polled is presented in the chart below.

**Chart 1 present results of potential parents' support for all critical languages.**

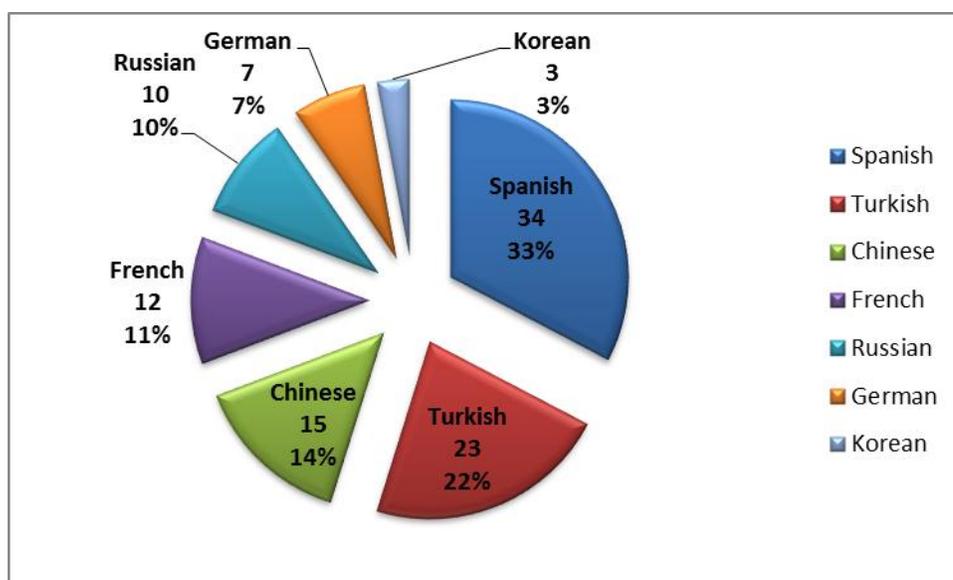
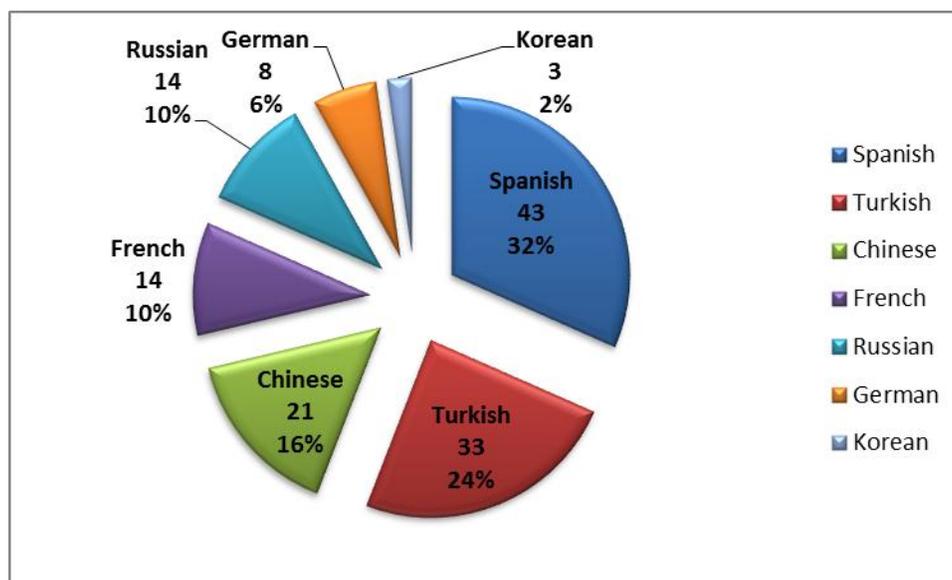


Chart 1

Analyses of student data suggested that the 68 student participants generated around 136 votes to identify their first and second choice of languages. The two most frequently selected critical languages were also Spanish and Turkish. As demonstrated in the chart below, the first choice, Spanish, received the highest level of support (32%, n= 43) while Turkish received around 24% (n= 33) support from the potential students as the second choice. The distribution of support of the student participants for all other languages is presented below.

**Chart 2 present results of potential students' support for all critical languages.**



**Chart 2**

Therefore, based on the strong support of both potential parents and students, Spanish and Turkish have been selected to be taught at YSWPCS.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

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CEO