Defense Language Institute-Washington Office

Request form for Language Training for Spouses

General Information

Spouse's Name:			Training Start/End date:		
Spouse's Email			Spouse's Phone		
Address:			Number:		
Sponsor's Name:			Rank:		
Student Status:	☐ Defense Attaché System (DAS)/DIA☐ Other (Specify)		Service Branch:	☐ USA ☐ USN	☐ USAF ☐ USMC ☐ USCG
Language of training:			Training Start/End date:		
Sponsor's Email Address:			Sponsor's Phone Number:		
Scheduling Reques	st				
Type of language training requested :		☐ Full-time (30 hours) with sponsor ☐ Full-time (30 hours) separate class (DAS only) ☐ Part-time, min 15 hours/week, max 25 hours (DAS only)			
Spouse's foreign language proficiency or previous training, if any (include language proficiency scores and date). <i>All non-DAS must provide DLAB score</i> .					
Scheduling restrictions: (Training takes place 0700-1800 Monday-Friday; scheduling restrictions reduce the chances we will be able to accommodate this request.)					
Sponsor's foreign language proficiency or previous training, if any (include language proficiency scores and date):					

Statement of Understanding

- 1. <u>This request must be submitted at least 30 days in advance of the sponsor's start date.</u> This is only a <u>request</u> for language training. DLI-Washington cannot guarantee that a contract language school will be able to accommodate training for spouses.
- 2. Training must be conducted under the contract terms applicable to the DLI-W Contract Foreign Language Training Program.
- 3. Part-time training and all training (whether full or part-time) separate from the sponsor is available only for DAS.
- 4. Full-time training is 30 hours of class per week; students are at the schoolhouse for a minimum of 6.5-7 hours each day. Part-time training, when authorized, requires a minimum of 15 hours per week.
- 5. All students, including spouses, are assigned language proficiency objectives and complete end-of-course testing in accordance with DLI-Washington policy.
- 6. Full- or part-time status *cannot be changed* after this request is submitted.
- 7. DLI-Washington training takes place Monday-Friday, 0700-1800 on the contract schools' premises. Skype or other distance learning is only authorized on an exception basis for short-term needs such as temporary injury.
- 8. DLI-Washington cannot arrange for training at specific schools based on student's commute or personal preferences. Schools are located in Rosslyn (Arlington)—3 schools; Ballston (Arlington)—1 school; and downtown Washington, DC (1 school). All are Metro accessible.
- 9. Missing class, whether a timely cancel or not, may be grounds for DLI-Washington to cancel spouse training. Specifically, missing more than 10% of scheduled classes may result in disenrollment.
- 10. In-processing is conducted most Thursdays at 1000 in the DLI-Washington office; all students, including spouses, must inprocess prior to class start. Please allow up to two hours for these activities.
- 11. All spouses are required to take the DLPT and OPI upon completion of training.

FORM CONTINUES ON REVERSE

Additional information

- 1. DLI-Washington will contract training based on information on this form.
- 2. If this form is not returned 30 days in advance of the sponsor's training start date, spouses will not be considered for training.
- 3. Submit signed forms to: <u>usarmy.belvoir.tradoc.mbx.dli-w-training@mail.mil</u>

Spouse Signature	 Date
Sponsor Signature	Date