

An overview of language acquisition programs and the students they serve



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Dual Language Programs

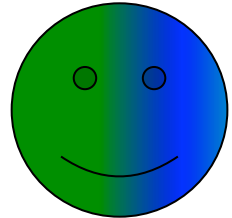
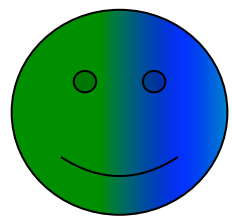
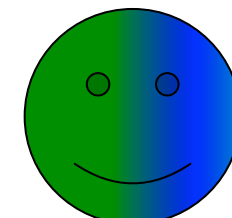


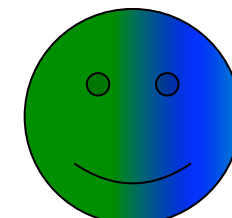
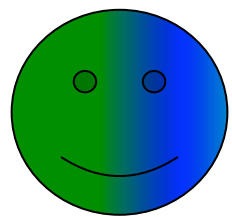
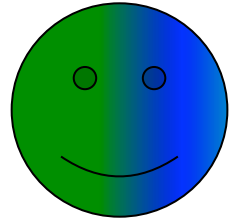
- The common goal of all dual language programs is high levels of bilingualism and biliteracy upon graduation from the program.
- There are different types of dual language programs. These programs differ not in their goal, but in the students they serve.



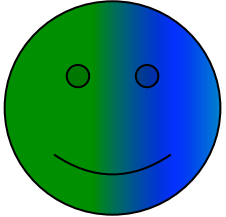
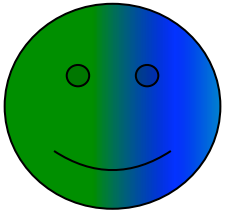
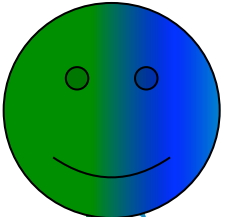
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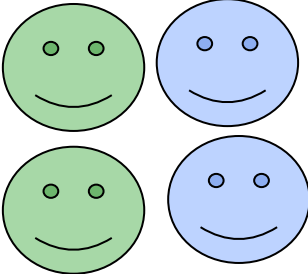
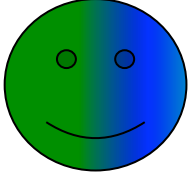
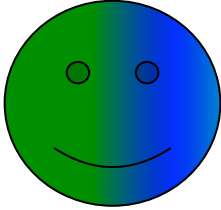
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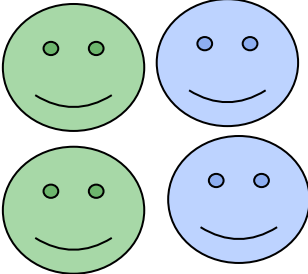
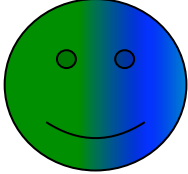
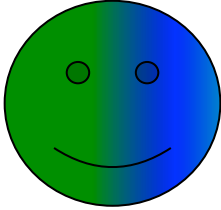
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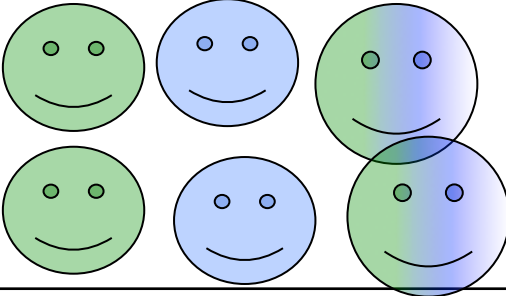
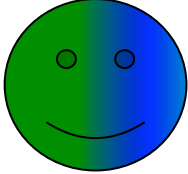
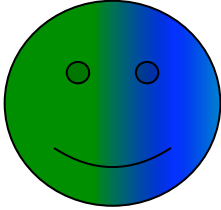
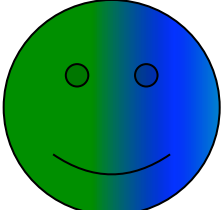
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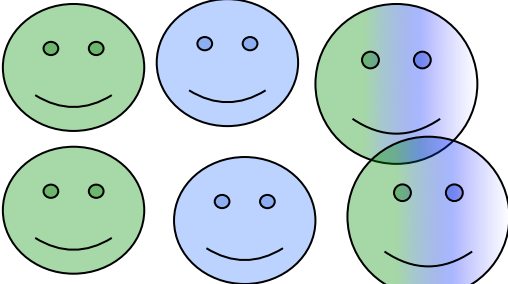
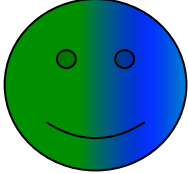
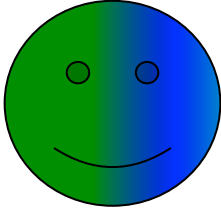
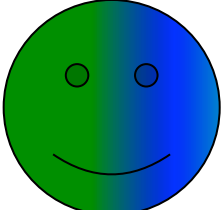
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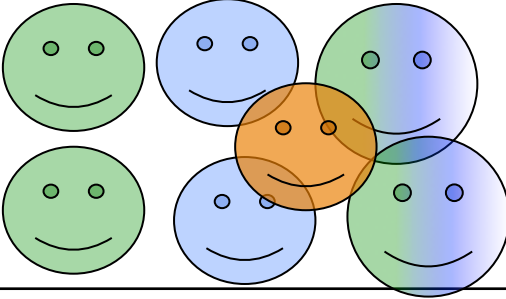
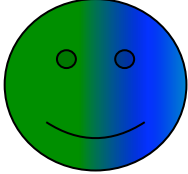
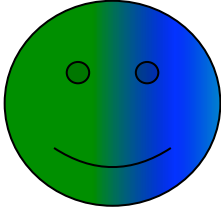
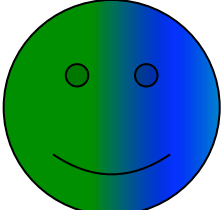
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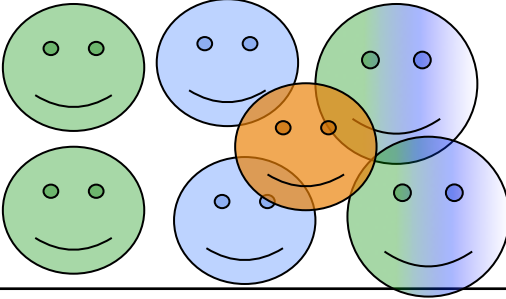
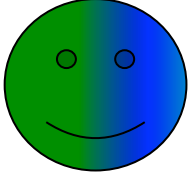
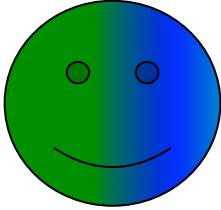
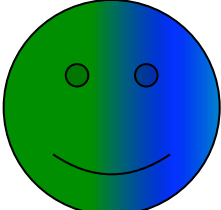
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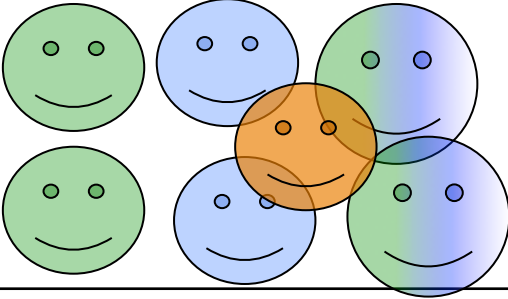
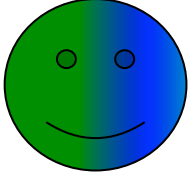
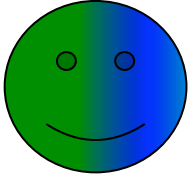
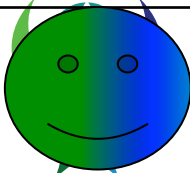
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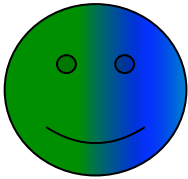
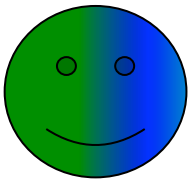
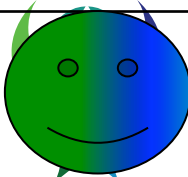
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Other ELLs (Urdu speakers, for example) Other bilingual, non-ELLs (Tamil/English bilinguals, for example)		
		

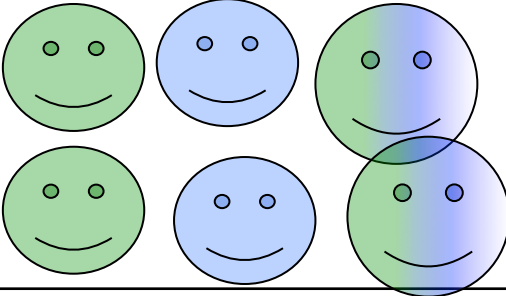
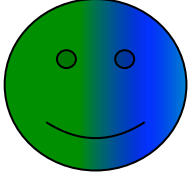
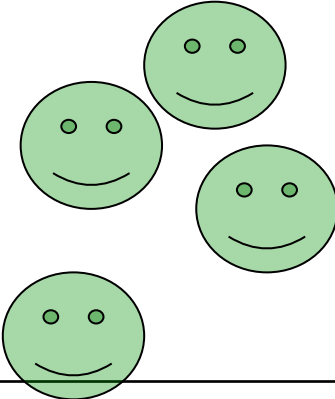
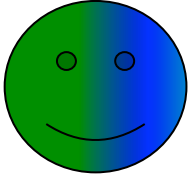
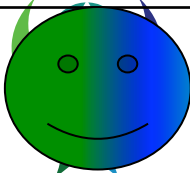
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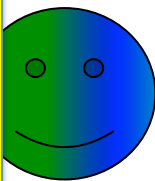
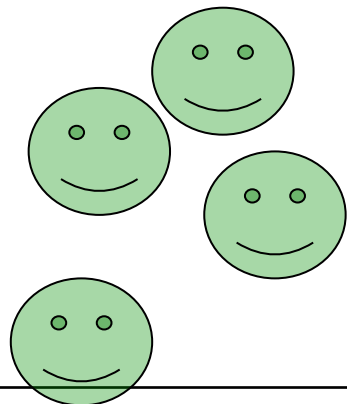
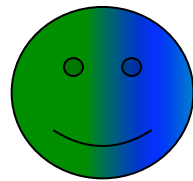
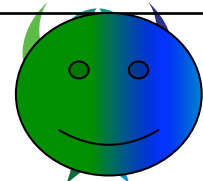
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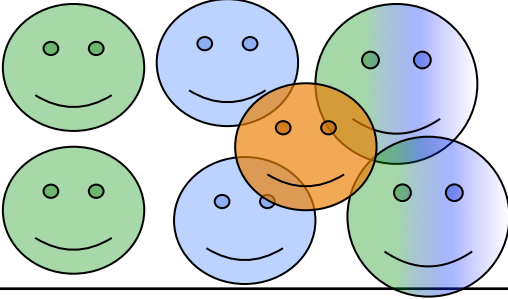
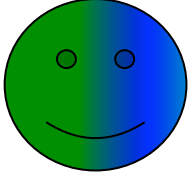
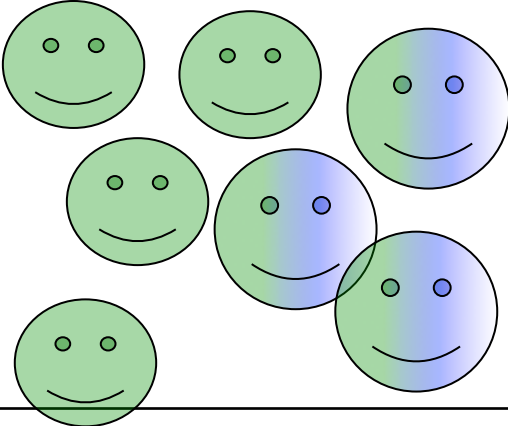
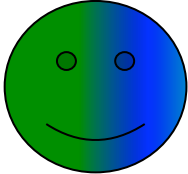
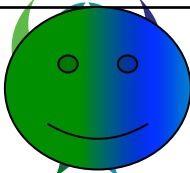
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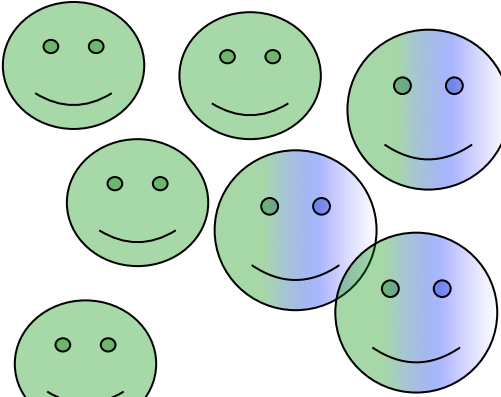
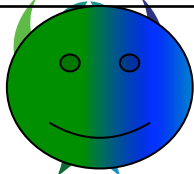
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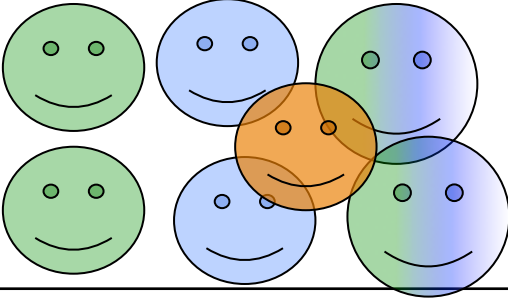
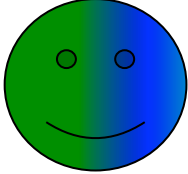
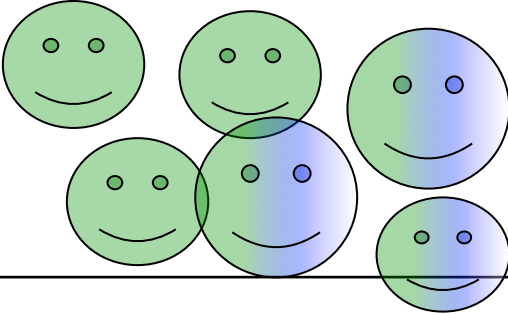
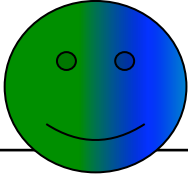
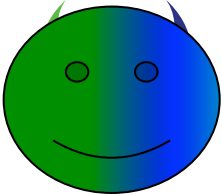
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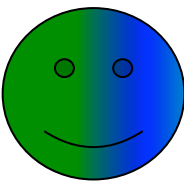
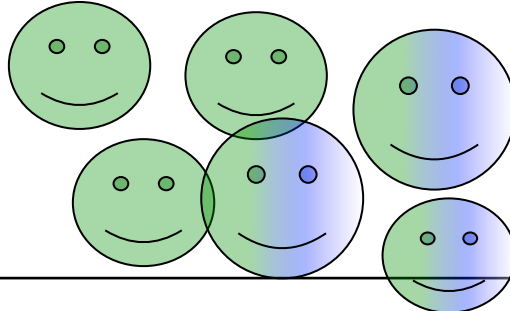
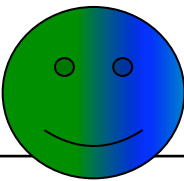
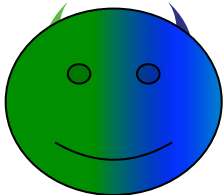
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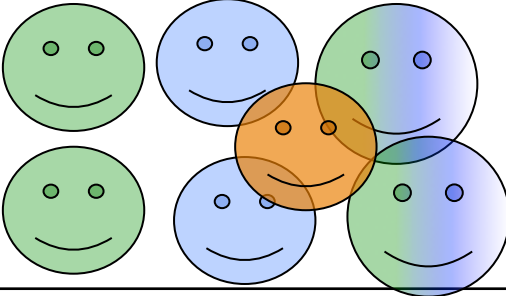
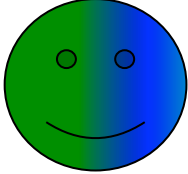
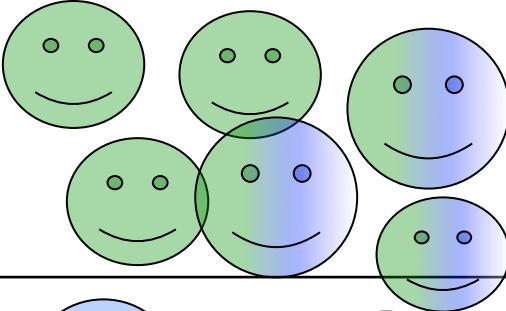
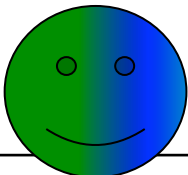
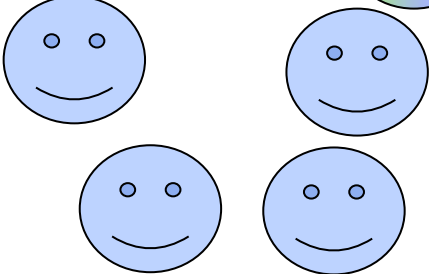
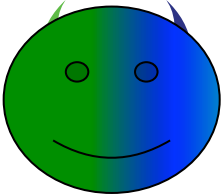
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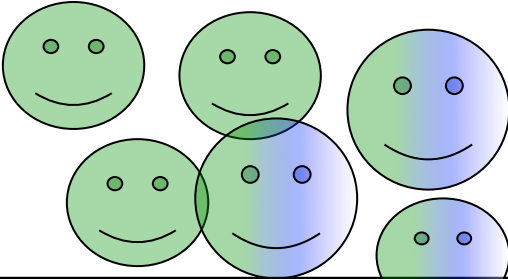
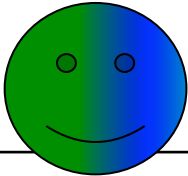
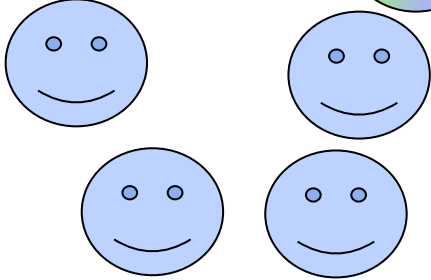
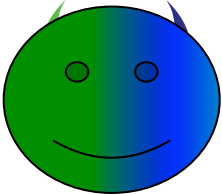
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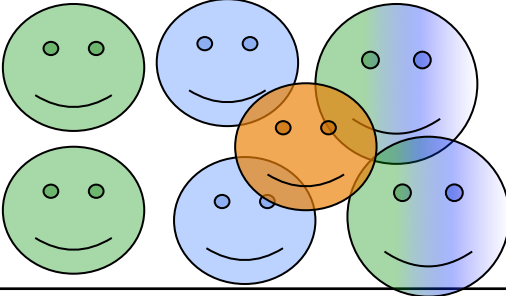
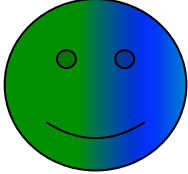
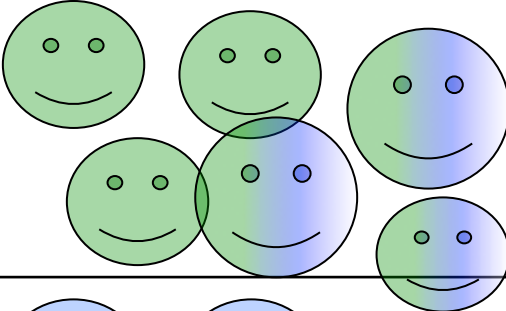
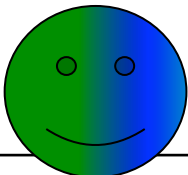
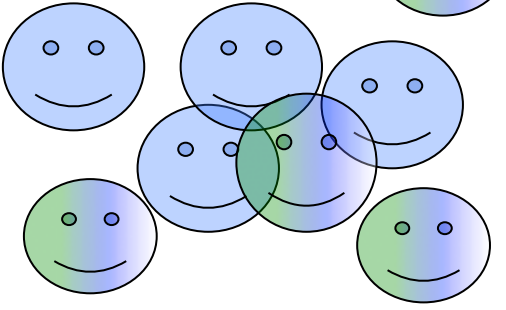
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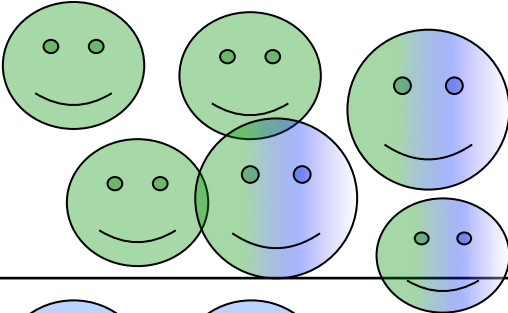
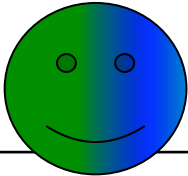
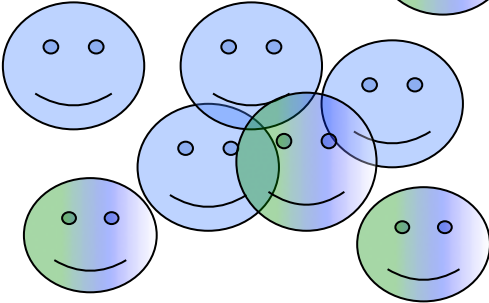
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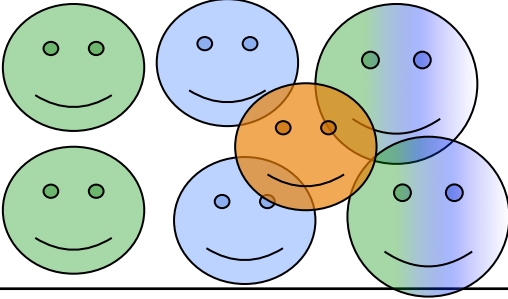
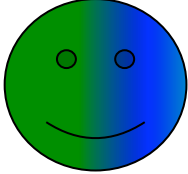
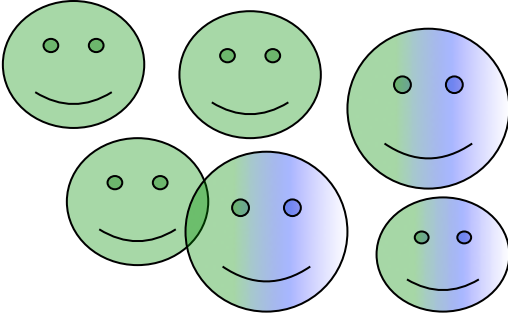
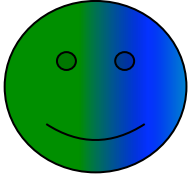
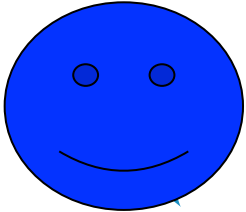
Simultaneous AND sequential bilinguals

Language Acquisition program	Students	Goal
Dual Language: Two way immersion		
Dual Language: One-way Immersion, Developmental Bilingual, Maintenance Bilingual		
Dual Language: One-way Immersion, Foreign Language Immersion		

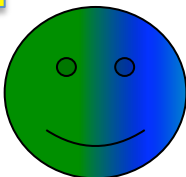
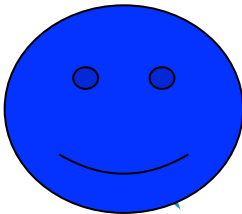
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Language Acquisition program	Students	Goal
Blue/green students – students who enter the program with linguistic resources in both languages – may or may not be ELLs		
Dual Language: One-way Immersion, Developmental Bilingual, Maintenance Bilingual		
Dual Language: One-way Immersion, Foreign Language Immersion		

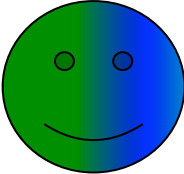
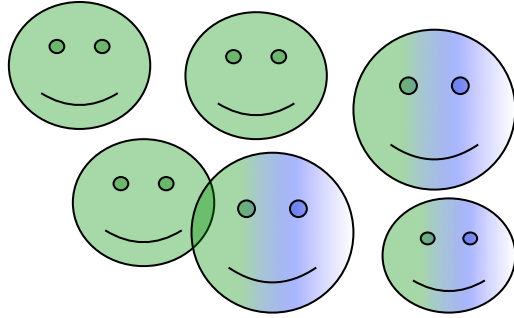
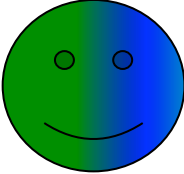
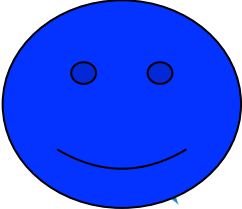
Simultaneous AND sequential bilinguals

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Dual Language: One-way Immersion, Developmental Bilingual, Maintenance Bilingual		
Transitional bilingual		

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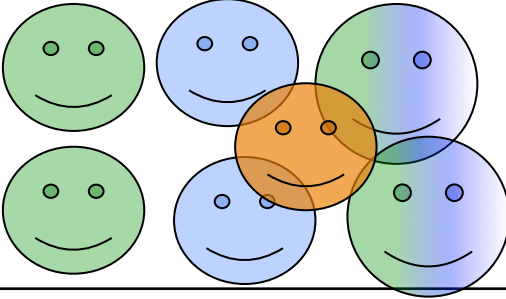
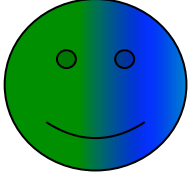
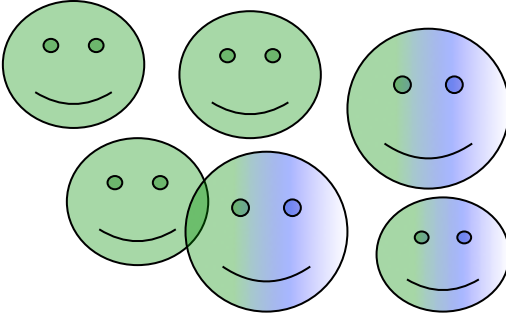
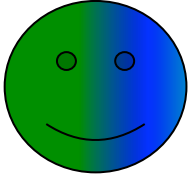
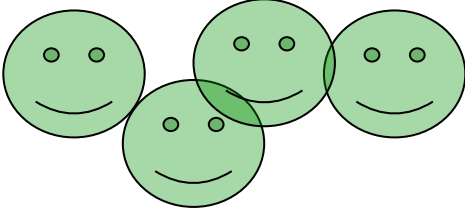
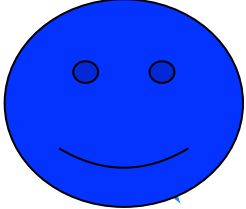
Language	Goal	
Dual Language Immersion		
Dual Language Immersion, Developmental Bilingual, Maintenance Bilingual		
Transitional bilingual		

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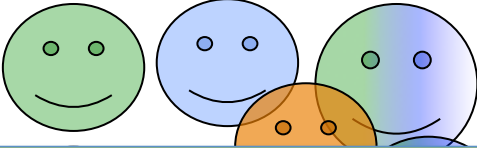
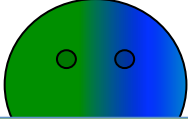
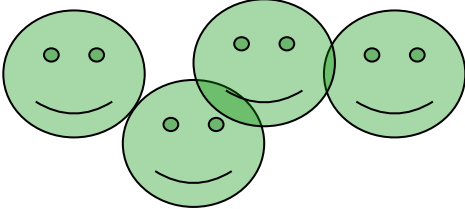
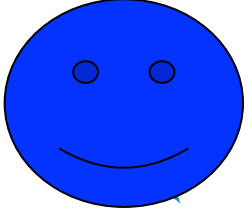
Language program		Goal
Dual Language immersion		
Dual Language: One-way Immersion, Developmental Bilingual, Maintenance Bilingual		
Transitional bilingual		

Who are the students in transitional bilingual programs?

Simultaneous AND sequential bilinguals

Language Acquisition program	Students	Goal
Dual Language: Two way immersion		
Dual Language: One-way Immersion, Developmental Bilingual, Maintenance Bilingual		
Transitional bilingual		

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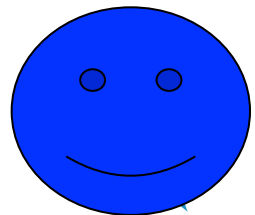
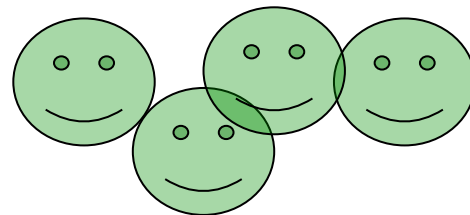
Language Acquisition program	Students	Goal
Dual Language: Two way immersion		
Bilingual, Maintenance Bilingual		
Transitional bilingual		

Green Students – students who enter the program as monolingual Spanish/Polish speakers (ELLs)

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Teaching for biliteracy works with BOTH Dual Language (Two-Way Immersion, One-Way Immersion, Developmental Bilingual) and Transitional Bilingual Programs of instruction

Transitional bilingual



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