








Linguistic Model of application in the field of Education in GALICIA¹

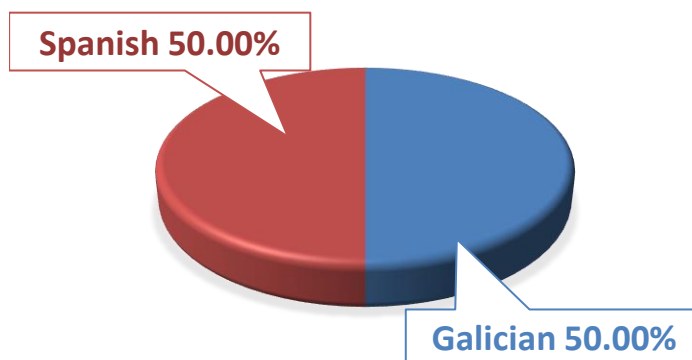
-  Name of the language: Galician
-  Status of the language: Official
-  Classification of the language according to the UNESCO: Not applicable
-  Protected under the Charter for Regional or Minority Languages

General description of the linguistic model of application in the territory

The language model of the Galician education system is set by the Decree 79/2010, of 20 May, on Multilingualism in non-university education. It consists of a bilingual education in Galician-Spanish language, specifically known as the conjunction of languages model: there is a single line of education (public and private), with the legal prohibition of segregating students on the grounds of language. Both Galician and Spanish languages are the languages of instruction and subjects are taught in these 2 languages with an equal percentage.

Furthermore, the law stipulates the incorporation of a foreign language -typically English- as a language of instruction, in which case the hours of teaching will be distributed equally among the three languages.

-  Total number of **primary students** (6>12 years) enrolled in public and private institutions (schooling year 2018/2019): **136.738**
-  Total number of **secondary students** (12>16 years) enrolled in public and private institutions (schooling year 2018/2019): **92.285**
-  Distribution of schooling languages in the Galician Education System:



¹ Source: General-Secretariat of Language Policy. Government of Galicia