

Language Pathways Podcast Series: Connecting Heritage Learners to Federal Careers Episode 2: Developing Heritage Learner Skills for Government Careers

Resources from the Episode

The National Heritage Language Resource Center at UCLA

<https://nhlrc.ucla.edu/nhlrc/home>

The National Heritage Language Resource Center (NHLRC) offers research and resources about heritage language learners and provides professional development opportunities for educators.

Heritage Language Exchange

<https://www.hlxchange.com/>

The Heritage Language Exchange provides resources for heritage language teachers and programs including workshops, videos from heritage speakers, and forums to share ideas.

Center for Applied Linguistics

<https://www.cal.org/>

The Center for Applied Linguistics (CAL) is a non-profit organization whose mission is to promote language learning and cultural understanding by serving as a trusted source for research, resources, and policy analysis.

Coalition of Community-Based Heritage Language Schools

<https://www.heritagelanguageschools.org/coalition>

The Coalition of Community-Based Heritage Language Schools supports community-based heritage language schools and maps these schools across the United States.

Alliance for the Advancement of Heritage Languages

<https://www.cal.org/heritage/>

The Alliance for the Advancement of Heritage Languages conducted research on heritage language education and programs from 2002-2013. The website is archived, but you can still find downloadable resources including research briefs and profiles of heritage schools.

Additional Resources

Connect with Language – Heritage Learners

<https://www.languageconnectsfoundation.org/connect-with-language/heritage-learners>

This page dedicated to heritage language learners provides information on the value of learning one's heritage language, video testimonials, and resources for parents.

What Languages are Spoken in China?

<https://studycli.org/learn-chinese/languages-in-china/>

This page on the Chinese Language Institute's website provides an overview of the linguistic diversity in China. There is demographic and geographic information on the ten main Chinese dialects, including Hakka, which was mentioned in the episode.