The Journey

2009-2010

Bilingual support (ELL) for Assyrian language students

2015

8th, 9th, 10th students survey (summer school or school year) 1137 responses --Yes, I'm interested: SS 187, SY 275

2016

Summer school course - 3 week introduction 9 students

enrolled

2017

Summer School Course - barriers with summer offering

2018

Assyrian Language requested by parents again through Suraye

2019

Discussions with WL Director and Assistant Superintendent

Discussions with WL Director, Equity Director, Board Equity Team

2020

Assyrian Language and Culture as **summer** school course

20 students enrolled

September 2021

Presented
Assyrian
Language &
Culture
Course

Proposal at CSSI

October 2021

Discussed feedback from CSSI and next steps

November 2021

Assistant superintendent for Curriculum & Instruction met with D219 Suraye parent group

December 2021

District Admin met Suraye at ANCI

Met with ISBE Reps

January 2022

Met with Exec Team to discuss ISBE approvals

February 2022

Met with Chief Equity Officer

Community Campaign, about 800 letters sent to D219 Board

received guidelines from ISBE in writing

March 2022

Met with WL & EL Directors

Presented updates to CSSI

Summer 2022

Assyrian
Language
& Culture Summer
Project

September 2022

Proposal presenters & WL Director present to CSSI

ISBE Catalog released

October 2022

WL Director presents proposal to D219 Board & D219 Suraye make public Comments

November 2022

District 219 Board of Education's final vote

