

AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE, CERTIFICATE

(Code 622-601)

The Communication Sciences and Disorders program offers a certificate program for interested students in American Sign Language (ASL). The goals of this program are for students to develop a depth of knowledge and skill in the use of ASL; students will appreciate the distinct culture of the Deaf community and behave according to the social norms of the culture; and students will apply semantic and/or linguistic elements of ASL in their use of the language. This certificate will not satisfy external standards or lead to licensure. Interpreters must complete a minimum of an Associate's degree; teachers of ASL must be licensed to teach ASL or hold Deaf and Hard of Hearing teacher licensure.

Code	Title	Credits
Completion of the ASL Certificate requires 18 credits of ASL coursework OR 12 resident credits of ASL coursework beyond CSD 102		
Required courses:		
CSD 101	American Sign Language I	3
CSD 102	American Sign Language II	3
CSD 103	American Sign Language III	3
CSD 201	American Sign Language IV	3
CSD 210	Cultural Perspectives of the Deaf	3
Select one course from the following:		3
CSD 202	American Sign Language V	
CSD 301	American Sign Language Semantics	
CSD 302	American Sign Language Linguistics	