



ASL-English Interpreter Preparation Program A.A. Degree

FULL TIME

This program roadmap represents one possible pathway to complete the program. **Please see a counselor** to create an education plan that is customized to meet your needs. This roadmap is not a guarantee of course availability or financial aid applicability.

Catalog: 2024-25

GE Pattern: local AA/AS

Total Units: 71

Start Term: Fall

Prior to Enrolling

Prerequisite Courses

7 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	DEAF 316	American Sign Language IV	4	I
Req	DEAF 351	Introduction to American Deaf Culture	3	Vb, VI

This program has eligibility requirements and a selection process. Detailed information about the program and pre-enrollment applications may be found in the college catalog and on the college website.

CAREER PATH

Career Options:

This degree prepares students to be American Sign Language / English interpreters.

Advising Notes:

- Students can substitute ESLW 340 for ENGWR 300/480.

Scheduling Notes:

- INTRP 300, 301, 303, 320, 334, 336, 340, 342, 344, 349, and 352 are offered in the fall.
- INTRP 305, 307, 310, 312, 314, 325, 330, 332, 350, 354, and 356 are offered in the spring.
- DEAF 370 is offered in the fall.
- DEAF 352 and 355 are offered in the spring.
- DEAF 318 and 351 are offered in the fall and spring.

Other Notes:

- Students must have a high school diploma, GED, CHSPE or higher to enter the program.
- The ASL-English Interpreter Preparation program currently accepts students once per year for the fall semester, which begins in August. The deadline to submit an application is the second Friday in April.
- The selection process includes an interview/screening process

First Year

Semester 1 (Fall)

17 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	INTRP 301	Discourse Analysis & Translation	4	
Req	INTRP 303	Orientation to the Interpreting Profession	3	
Req	DEAF 318 ¹	American Sign Language V	4	
Req	DEAF 370 ¹	Linguistics of American Sign Language	3	IIb
GE	ENGWR 300 / 480 ^{H,1}	College Composition	3	Ila WC

Semester 2 (Spring)

15 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	INTRP 305	Consecutive Interpreting from ASL	3	
Req	INTRP 307	Consecutive Interpreting from English	3	
Req	INTRP 310	Introduction to DeafBlind Interpreting	0.5	
Req	INTRP 314	Introduction to Multicultural Communication	0.5	
Req	INTRP 350	Service Learning for Interpreters	2	
Req	DEAF 352 ¹	Introduction to American Deaf Education	3	
Req	DEAF 355 ¹	Audism and Inequality of the Deaf	3	

Semester 3 (Summer)

6 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
GE	NUTRI 300	Nutrition	3	IIIb
GE	POLS 301 / 480 ^H	Introduction to Government: United States	3	Va

conducted by the Interpreter Preparation Program.

- Only students who meet the pre-enrollment requirements and follow the pre-enrollment process will be considered for the program.

Second Year

Semester 4 (Fall)

14 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	INTRP 300	Ethics and Professional Standards of Interpreting	3	
Req	INTRP 320	Simultaneous Interpreting	4	
Req	INTRP 352	Mock Interpreting I	1	
RE	INTRP 334	Introduction to Medical Interpreting	1	
RE	INTRP 336	Introduction to Performing Arts Interpreting	0.5	
RE	INTRP 349	Signing for Dependency Situations	0.5	
RE	INTRP 344	Introduction to Working in Deaf/Hearing Interpreter Teams	1	
GE	MATH 300 ¹	Introduction to Mathematical Ideas	3	MC

Semester 5 (Spring)

12 Units

CAT.	COURSE	TITLE	UNIT	GE AREA
Req	INTRP 325	Transliteration	1	
Req	INTRP 354	Mock Interpreting II	1	
Req	INTRP 356	Fieldwork in Interpretation	5	
RE	INTRP 330	Introduction to Educational Interpreting, K-12	1	
GE	GEOG 305 / GEOL 320	Global Climate Change	3	IV
GE		any PE activity course	1	IIIa

¹ These courses may be taken prior to entering the program.

^H honors courses

EXPLANATION OF CATEGORIES

Req	Required Core	A course that is required for this program
GE	General Education	A course that fulfills a specific general education requirement for a degree, which can be replaced with another course that meets the same requirement
RE	Restricted Elective	A course selected from a list of elective courses specified for this program in the course list in the catalog, which can be replaced with another course from the same list

Graduation Requirement

A course that fulfills a specific graduation requirement which can be replaced by another course that meets the same graduation requirement.

MC = Math Competency
WC = Writing Competency

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