

Deaf & Sign Language Studies BA

4 Year Academic Plan

52 Credits

Year One: Pre-Major

Know no ASL? Take First Year

Fall: ASL 151 (5cr.)

First Year American Sign Language

Winter: ASL 152 (5cr.)

First Year American Sign Language

Spring: ASL 153 (5cr.)

First Year American Sign Language

Know some ASL? Contact us to be properly placed, if:

- You have taken ASL in High School?
- You have college credits in ASL?
- Take our One-on-One ASL placement test with Dr. Taralynn Petrites

Year Two: Required Courses

Fall: ASL 251 (5cr.)

Second Year American Sign Language

Winter: ASL 252 (5cr.)

Second Year American Sign Language

Spring: ASL 253 (5cr.)

Second Year American Sign Language



Year Three: Required Courses

ASL 315/301/310 Alternate Years with ASL 415/405/410

Fall: ASL 315 (5cr.)

Experiences in the Deaf Community

OR

Fall: ASL 415 (5cr.)

Community Relations: Current Issues in the Deaf World

Winter: ASL 301 (5cr.)

American Sign Language Literature

OR

Winter: ASL 405 (5cr.)

Sign Language Structure and Usage

Spring: ASL 310 (5cr.)

Deaf Culture and Community

OR

Spring: ASL 410 (5cr.)

Deaf Culture, Sign Language, and Media

Spring: WLC 487 Culminating Experience (2 cr. Required Capstone)

Year Four: Electives

ANTH 382 (4cr.)

Descriptive Linguistics

ASP 305 (4cr.)

Accessibility and User Experience

ASP 435 (5cr.)

Accessible Information Design

SOC 365 (5cr.)

Minority Groups

WGSS 326 (5cr.)

Intersections of Gender, Race, Class, and Sexualities



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