

American Sign Language I

100 % Online Canvas and FlipGrid | CRN: 52406

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**Resources Will Be Provided
By Your Instructor. NO Books
Needed For This Course.**

**Your Instructor Will Provide
Videos Lectures, Vocabulary
Lists, and Sentences Practice.**



450-405 A

404-360 B

359-315 C

314-270 D

269-0 F

Course Objective:

ASL I is the first course in a four-course series. Emphasis will be following these: vocabulary, learning every day basic conversational skills, learning how to use facial expression and body language accordingly, learn classifiers, and learn the important history and culture of Deaf. Being able to come to Deaf community events and make some conversational with others. Students will also learn the difference between written ASL and written English.

Student Learning Outcomes:

Upon successful completion, the student will be able to:

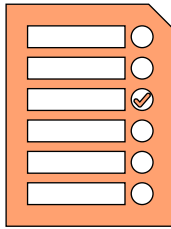
- Engage in one on one conversation and share basic information related to common topics such as family, school, daily routines, and recreation.
- Demonstrate receptive/expressive competencies of targeted lexical and syntactical features of American Sign Language such as sentence types, eye gaze, body orientation, non-manual signals, and classifiers appropriate for beginning ASL learners.
- Students will be able to identify and produce numbers 1-30 in ASL.
- Demonstrate fingerspelled word/number recognition by correctly reading proper names or numbers fingerspelled in one-to-one scenarios with teacher-provided cues (e.g., names, places, money, and time).
- Identify the beliefs, values and attitudes within Deaf Culture and become familiar with the products of the culture.



Office Hours: Can be made by appointments.

Must-Have materials for this class:

- Access to internet
- Access to Device/desktop with built-in camera/webcam



10 Assignments	100
Zoom Meeting Practices (15 points each time)	30
Tests (40, 40, 20)	100
6 Quizzes	70
Movie Assignment	25
Silent for the Day Assignment	25
Final Exam	100
Total	450

<u>Week 1</u>	<p>Introduction to Course/Syllabus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Watch Videos: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Intro to Course/Syllabus” • Start Unit 1: Introducing Oneself • “How are you?” “The ASL Alphabet ASL- ABCs”, “Genders”, and “Number 1 to 30 ASL” • “Colors & Opinions”, “Clothings”, “Wh’s and Yes/No Questions’s” • Review with “Unit 1 Vocabulary List” • Assignments: due on Sunday before 11:59 PM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #1 • #2 • #3 • Complete: due on Sunday before 11:59 PM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quiz#1: Syllabus/Course Assignment Quiz
<u>Week 2</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Watch Videos: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Identify A Person”, “Languages”, “Education Backgrounds”, “Activities” • Review with “Unit 2 Vocabulary List” • Assignments: due on Sunday before 11:59 PM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #4 • #5 • Complete: due on Sunday before 11:59 PM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quiz #2 • Test #1
<u>Week 3</u>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Watch Videos: Start Unit 3: Discuss Living Situation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • “Distance Using NMS in ASL”, “City/Cities”, “Housing Situations”, “Transportation with Times”, and “Pets/Animals” • Review all videos again for more practice • Assignments: due on Sunday before 11:59 PM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • #6 • #7 • Complete: due on Sunday before 11:59 PM <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quiz #3 • Quiz #4

**Week 4**

- Watch Videos: Unit 4: Family
- “Once Upon A Time...”, “The Couples Within Pregnancy/Adopted”, “Family Members”, “Relationship Statuses”
- Review all videos again for more practice
- Assignments: due on Sunday before 11:59 PM
 - #8
- Complete: due on Sunday before 11:59 PM
 - Quiz #5

Week 5

- Watch Videos: Unit 5 Calendars/Holidays
- “12 Months”, “Days of the Week/Time of the Day”, “Everyday Activities”
- Review all videos again for more practice
- Assignments: due on Sunday before 11:59 PM
 - #9
 - #10
 - Quiz #6
 - Test #2

Week 6

- Final Exam Review
- Final Exam
- Assignments: due on Wednesday before 11:59 PM
 - #10 (If students didn’t do #10 in Week 5)
- Complete: due on Wednesday before 11:59 PM
 - Test #3

*Zoom Meetings will take on Week 4 and Week 5, I will send out announcement and will have you guys vote what time and days prefer to do.

- **Attendance and Class Participation**

Students are required to check on Canvas since active being online participation is VITAL to the learning process and acquisition of the basic principles of ASL. Points will be deducted for lack of being active online. Please check Canvas regularly for announcements, assignments, handouts for class, emails, and grades.

- **Plagiarism and Cheating**

Plagiarism/cheating is a serious academic offense that is not tolerated. A student who plagiarizes on any assignments/quizzes will receive a grade of 0 (zero) points for the assignments/quizzes. Further follow-up will be handled in accordance with the college's policies and procedures.

- **Accommodations for Students with Disabilities**

If you have a verified need for an academic accommodation per the Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA) or Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act, please contact the instructor as soon as possible. If you are a student with a disability and/or have questions regarding people with disabilities and services this office may provide, you are encouraged to access and contact them. Ph#:559-442-8237

- **10 Assignments**

Ten (10) assignment you will do in this course, using discussion board and FlipGrid. Each assignments should have already submission format when you open each ones. Most of the assignments will require you to do self-recording as expressive part.

- **Conversation Practices With Classmates**

Conversation practice with your classmates will happen two times during these 6 weeks semester. The purpose to do this for whoever are enrolled in this course can interact with others who are learning same thing and practice with each other. The practice will meet through Zoom and will have 30 - 50 minutes, based on the units that you learn from this course. During the time of practice, try your best not to use your voice while signing, it is the best to leave voice out of ASL. The instructor will be present as well to interact with you guys, while I am present please don't use your voice to respect the Deaf Culture. (It will be fun!)

- **Quizzes**

The six quizzes will consist of essay and or multiple choice / true false questions from your assigned readings and textbook and/or receptive skills. There will be absolutely NO make up pop quizzes. No exceptions!

- **Movie Assignment**

You will be required to watch a movie "Through Deaf Eyes" on Youtube. Here is the link to the movie.
<https://video.search.yahoo.com/yhs/search?fr=yhs-mozilla-001&hsimp=yhs-001&hspart=mozilla&p=through+deaf+eyes+youtube#id=1&vid=4958c1daa0828e297ed00e69ecb94d27&action=click>

You will find more information under the assignment of "Movie Assignment" about what to do after watching the movie.

- **Final Exam**

The final exam will be cumulative. I will inform you of the date for the Final as the semester progresses. There is NO final exam make-up.