

AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE (ASL)

Subject-area course lists indicate courses currently active for offering at the University of Louisville. Not all courses are scheduled in any given academic term. For class offerings in a specific semester, refer to the Schedule of Classes (<http://htmlaccess.louisville.edu/classSchedule/setupSearchClassSchedule.cfm>).

500-level courses generally are included in both the undergraduate- and graduate-level course listings; however, specific course/section offerings may vary between semesters. Students are responsible for ensuring that they enroll in courses that are applicable to their particular academic programs.

Course Fees

Some courses may carry fees beyond the standard tuition costs to cover additional support or materials. Program-, subject- and course-specific fee information can be found on the Office of the Bursar website (<http://louisville.edu/bursar/tuitionfee>).

ASL 101. American Sign Language I 3 Units

Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer

Description: A functional-notional approach to learning beginning American Sign Language (ASL). Development of basic knowledge of and understanding of conversational ASL and cultural features of the language and community.

Note: Clinical hours required.

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ASL 102. American Sign Language II 3 Units

Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer

Prerequisite(s): ASL 101 with a minimum grade of C, or permission of instructor.

Description: Continued development of basic knowledge and understanding of conversational ASL and cultural features of the language and community.

Note: Clinical hours required.

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ASL 201. American Sign Language III 3 Units

Term Typically Offered: Fall, Spring, Summer

Prerequisite(s): ASL 102 with a minimum grade of C, or permission of instructor.

Description: Development of intermediate expressive and receptive ASL skills and cultural features of the language and community.

Note: Clinical hours required.

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ASL 202. American Sign Language IV 3 Units

Term Typically Offered: Spring, Summer

Prerequisite(s): ASL 201 with a minimum grade of C, or permission of instructor.

Description: Continued development of intermediate expressive and receptive ASL skills and cultural features of the language and community.

Note: Clinical hours required.

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ASL 205. Accelerated American Sign Language III & IV 6 Units

Term Typically Offered: Occasionally Offered

Prerequisite(s): ASL 102 with a minimum grade of B, or permission of instructor.

Description: Allows students to complete American Sign Language III and American Sign Language IV in one semester. The course focuses on advanced expressive and receptive skills while building an understanding of the cultural context.

Note: Recommended for intended majors.

Note: Clinical hours required.

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ASL 213. Special Topics in American Sign Language 1-3 Units

Term Typically Offered: Occasionally Offered

Prerequisite(s): Permission of instructor.

Description: Presentation of course material of a timely, specialized, or topical nature.

Note: Specific course orientation will appear beside title.

Note: May be retaken to a maximum of six hours if subject matter is different each time.

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ASL 301. American Sign Language V 3 Units

Term Typically Offered: Fall Only

Prerequisite(s): ASL 202 with a minimum grade of C, or permission of instructor.

Description: Development of advanced expressive and receptive ASL skills and cultural features of the language and community.

Note: Clinical hours required.

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ASL 302. American Sign Language VI 3 Units

Term Typically Offered: Spring Only

Prerequisite(s): ASL 301 with a minimum grade of C, or permission of instructor.

Description: Continued development of advanced expressive and receptive ASL skills and cultural features of the language and community.

Note: Clinical hours required.

Note: Final course in the ASL sequence.

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ASL 305. Accelerated American Sign Language V & VI **6 Units**

Term Typically Offered: Spring Only

Prerequisite(s): ASL 102 with a minimum grade of B, or permission of instructor.

Description: Allows students to complete American Sign Language III and American Sign Language IV in one semester. The course focuses on advanced expressive and receptive skills while building an understanding of the cultural context.

Note: Recommended for intended majors.

Note: Clinical hours required.

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ASL 400. American Sign Language VII **3 Units**

Term Typically Offered: Fall Only

Prerequisite(s): ASL 302 with a grade of C or better.

Description: ASL 400 builds on the grammar and vocabulary students have learned in the beginning language sequence (ASL 101 to ASL 302). The chief aim is communicative native-like competencies, to increase understanding of advanced ASL discourse, and the improvement of conversational skills. Videos and other media from the American Deaf community will be discussed.

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ASL 405. Advanced ASL **1 Unit**

Grading Basis: Pass/Fail

Term Typically Offered: Spring Only

Prerequisite(s): ASL 302 or ASL 305; ASL 400; admission to ASLIS major and good standing in the program.

Description: ASL 405 builds on the grammar and vocabulary students have learned in the beginning language sequence (ASL 101 to ASL 302 / ASL 305) and ASL 400. The chief aim is communicative native-like competencies, better understanding of advanced ASL discourse, and the improvement of conversational skills. Videos and other media from the American Deaf community will be discussed.

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