ASL and Deaf Studies Education, B.A.

Requirements

This four-year degree prepares students to teach ASL & Deaf Studies in secondary education (grades 7-12) settings. Students take major courses from the Languages department and licensure courses through the School of Education. This degree requires separate application to the School of Education. Bachelor of Arts in ASL and Deaf Studies Education

Total Program Credits: 120

Matriculation Requirements:

1. ACT exam minimums: Composite 21, English 20, Math 19; or SAT exam minimums: Critical Read/Math 1000, with Math and Reading scores of 450; or If student has a bachelor degree or higher, he/she does not need to meet this testing requirement.
2. GPA of 3.0 or higher with no grade lower than a C in content area courses.
3. Completion of all General Education requirements and the majority of content area courses.
4. Pass group interview directed by the Secondary Teacher Education Department.
5. Pass LiveScan Criminal Background Check.

General Education Requirements: 36 Credits

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Discipline Core Requirements: 68 Credits

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Elective Requirements: 16 Credits

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<td>Complete 16 credits of any courses 1000-level or higher.</td>
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Graduation Requirements:

1. Complete a minimum of 120 credit hours with a minimum of 40 upper-division credits.
2. Overall Grade of 3.0 (B) or above with no grade lower than a C or better in major required content courses and no grade lower than a B- in Licensure and Methods courses.
3. Completion of General Education, ASL & Deaf Studies core, and elective requirements.
4. Meet residency and maximum years in program requirements and any other requirements stated in the University Catalog or established by the department.
5. Successful completion of at least one Global/Intercultural course.

NOTES:

Students should frequently review their program with faculty or department advisor.

Any grade below a C (2.0) in an ASL & Deaf Studies core or elective course will not be accepted toward the major. Students must maintain an overall GPA of 3.0 or higher and meet all other graduation requirements stipulated in the university catalog. Post-BA/BS students must take 30 hours of education courses, fulfill the MATH 1050 requirement, and meet all stipulated deadlines.

Footnote

* Requires ASL skills equivalent to those expected at the completion of ASL 202G. See advisor for more information.
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## Graduation Plan

This graduation plan is a sample plan and is intended to be a guide. Your specific plan may differ based on your Math and English placement and/or transfer credits applied. You are encouraged to meet with an advisor and set up an individualized graduation plan in Wolverine Track.

Milestone courses (pre-requisites for a course in one of the subsequent semesters) are marked in red and italicized.

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Degree total: 120