

### **Basic Course Information**

Semester:	SPRING 2022	Instructor Name:	JOE HENDERSON
Course Title & #:	AMSL 102	Email:	JOE.HENDERSON@IMPERIAL.EDU
CRN #:	20196	Webpage (optional):	N/A
Classroom:	Online	Office #:	N/A
Class Dates:	Feb 14-June 10 2022	Office Hours:	N/A
Class Days:	weekly	Office Phone #:	N/A
Class Times:	N/A	Emergency Contact:	JOE.HENDERSON@IMPERIAL.EDU
Units:	4	Class Format:	RT-Online

## **Course Description**

This course is a continuation of American Sign Language I. Receptive and expressive skills will be further developed through vocabulary enrichment, grammar, practice and interactive conversational exercises. Deaf Culture norms and traditions will be studied in this class. (CSU,UC) (CSU/UC)

# **Student Learning Outcomes**

Upon course completion, the successful student will have acquired new skills, knowledge, and or attitudes as demonstrated by being able to:

- 1. Distinguish the correct facial grammar for six basic sentence types, recognizing the type of sentence that is being produced. (ILO1, ILO2)
- 2. Convert simple written English sentences to grammatically correct ASL sentences. (ILO1, ILO2)
- 3. Identify some historical features and developments in American Deaf culture. (ILO2, ILO5)



## **Course Objectives**

Upon satisfactory completion of the course, students will be able to:

- 1. Demonstrate knowledge of approximately 30-35 new vocabulary signs per week.
- Recognize commonly fingerspelled words up to five letters at a beginning-intermediate pace.
- 3. Demonstrate basic knowledge of number incorporation relating to time signs.
- 4. Discuss in ASL topics related to employment, sports, activities, health and illness, classes, and current events.
- 5. Express skill, opinions, satisfaction, beliefs and advice with the selection of the appropriate signs.
- 6. Politely decline an ASL request or invitation.
- 7. Give directions to specified locations and describe the locations using classifiers.
- 8. Demonstrate knowledge of Deaf Culture's use of modern technology for accessible

#### **Textbooks & Other Resources or Links**

Required text: Learning American Sign Language. (Second Edition). Humphries. T. & C. Padden. ISBN 0-205-27553-2

Recommended text: The American Sign Language Handshape Dictionary. Tennant, R. and M. Brown. ISBN 978-1-56368-444-9.

Three ring binder pencil and paper for notes.

## **Course Requirements and Instructional Methods**

The instructor will generally be teaching with a voice off approach. This will increase your receptive comprehension. You will be participating in a variety of class exercises designed to increase both your receptive and expressive skills. Please arrive to class on time, ready to start signing. We will be introducing new vocabulary weekly, and then applying it through a variety of exercises. You MUST practice outside of class. We will also be learning new grammatical structures weekly as we go through the chapters of the book. You will be asked to prepare some ASL assignments outside of class; you will be given clear instructions to follow to produce successful assignments. You may have to sign individually to your instructor, or in small groups, or in front of the class. We will have lab in class weekly, with a complete voice off period. During lab, you will be given specific exercises to focus on to improve your signing skills. We will also have presentations this semester.

<u>Out of Class Assignments</u>: The Department of Education policy states that one (1) credit hour is the amount of student work that reasonably approximates not less than one hour of class time <u>and</u> two (2) hours of out-of-class time per week over the span of a semester. WASC has adopted a similar requirement.

## **Course Grading Based on Course Objectives**



Homework 10% (includes written and signed homework)
Labs 10% (voice off activities class participation)
Exams 25% (Midterm and written Final)
Quizzes 10% (10- 16 quiz through the semester)
Presentations 20% (3 Presentations)
Section finals 10% (2 Test)
Interactive final 10% (signing one on one with the instructor)
Deaf Event 5% (written Response paper)

#### **Course Policies**

- What is netiquette? Netiquette is internet manners, online etiquette, and digital etiquette all rolled into one word. Basically, netiquette is a set of rules for behaving properly online.
- Students are to comply with the following rules of netiquette: (1) identify yourself, (2) include a subject line, (3) avoid sarcasm, (4) respect others' opinions and privacy, (5) acknowledge and return messages promptly, (6) copy with caution, (7) do not spam or junk mail, (8) be concise, (9) use appropriate language, (10) use appropriate emoticons (emotional icons) to help convey meaning, and (11) use appropriate intensifiers to help convey meaning [do not use ALL CAPS or multiple exclamation marks (!!!!)].

Academic honesty in the advancement of knowledge requires that all students and instructors respect the integrity of one another's work and recognize the important of acknowledging and safeguarding intellectual property.

There are many different forms of academic dishonesty. The following kinds of honesty violations and their definitions are not meant to be exhaustive. Rather, they are intended to serve as examples of unacceptable academic conduct.

- Plagiarism is taking and presenting as one's own the writings or ideas of others, without citing the source. You should understand the concept of plagiarism and keep it in mind when taking exams and preparing written materials. If you do not understand how to "cite a source" correctly, you must ask for help.
- Cheating is defined as fraud, deceit, or dishonesty in an academic assignment, or using or attempting to use materials, or assisting others in using materials that are prohibited or inappropriate in the context of the academic assignment in question.

Anyone caught cheating or plagiarizing will receive a zero (0) on the exam or assignment, and the instructor may report the incident to the Campus Disciplinary Officer, who may place related documentation in a file. Repeated acts of cheating may result in an F in the course and/or disciplinary action. Please refer to the General Catalog for more information on academic dishonesty or other misconduct. Acts of cheating include, but are not limited to, the following: (a) plagiarism; (b) copying or attempting to copy from others during an examination or on an assignment; (c) communicating test information with another person during an examination; (d) allowing others to do an assignment or portion of an assignment; (e) using a commercial term paper service.



# **IVC Student Resources**

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Anticipated Class Schedule/Calendar				
DATE	IN CLASS	HOMEWORK		
Week 1	Syllabus, course expectations PH 11: Vocab PH 11: To be out of Number review PH 11 Grammar: Contractions and compounds, Depth CL Signing money review Grocery shopping mode	Purchase text Read syllabus Review PH 11 vocab Practice numbers 1-100 Read PH 11 Make grocery list of 10 Practice shopping pattern Practice signing money Practice PH 11 & 12 vocab Practice PH 11A – 12B		
Week 2	PH 12: Vocab PH 12: To not work Lab: Signing money, numbers, food ASL NMMs review	Gloss PH 12C – ASL correct Practice PH 12C Read PH 13		
Week 3	PH 12C due PH 13: Vocabulary PH 13 grammar: Conditional sentences, satisfaction Lab: PH 11, 12,13 PH 15 vocabulary PH 15 grammar: more refusals	Practice PH 13A – 13C Gloss & practice PH 13B Practice 5 sentence types Read PH 15 6 NMM index cards		
Week 4	Quiz #4 (PH 12, requests &refusals in ASL) Cumulative review: PH 11, 12, 13, 15 PH 14 vocab Review PH 11, 12, 13, 15 PH 14 vocab Study guide for Exam #1	Study for Exam #1		



Week 5	Final review for Exam #1 Deaf Culture topic Due Exam #1 Questions about Exam #1 answered Additional practice and review Signing time: clock time, number incorporation Classifier types	
Week 6	PH 14 review Presentation #1specifics Lecture: Congress of Milan, oralism Calendars and time in ASL Practice PH 16 vocab PH 16 grammar: spatial location, signer's perspective Lab #5: PH 14 & 16 Events and calendars in ASL	Practice PH 14 Review notes Begin script for Presentation #1 Practice PH 16A – 16C Calendar Practice calendar Script for Presentation #1 Read PH 17
Week 7	Quiz #7 (Congress of Milan) Calendar due, Presentation #1 script due PH 17 vocab PH 17 grammar: suggestions and advice in ASL Use of BORED in ASL Lab #6: Calendar and events Review: PH 14 -17 Lab #7: PH 14 - 17	Practice events and calendar Read PH 18 Practice PH 14A – 17C Gloss Presentation #1 Review PH 1 - 17 Practice signing events and calendar
Week 8	Presentation #1 gloss due PH 18 vocab PH 18 grammar: attitudes and opinions in ASL, quantifiers Vocab for Presentation #1 Study guide for Exam #2	Practice PH 18 vocab PH 18A – 18C Begin review Exam #2 Review PH 14 - 18 Practice Presentation #1 Study for Exam #2 Begin review PH 1 - 18
Week 9	Interactive section finals #2 (rotations) Practice Exam #2 Vocab for Presentation #1 Practice for Presentation #1 EXAM #2 (PH 14 -18; suggestions and advice, opinions and attitudes, quantifiers, time signs, conjunctions, calendar and events, Congress of Milan)	Gloss Presentation #2 Practice Presentation #2 Read PH 19



Week 10	Spring Break	
Week 11	PH 19: vocab PH 19 grammar: facial adverbs Presentation #1 PH 19: Temporal inflection Lab #7: facial adverbs, temporal inflection	Practice Presentation #2 Practice PH 19A – 19C Read PH 20 Review PH 19 vocab Practice facial adverbs, temporal inflection
Week 12	PH 20: Temporal inflection, intensity inflection PH 20: Vocabulary Lab: facial adverbs, temporal inflection, intensity inflection, PH 19 & 20	Practice PH 20A – 20C Practice PH 20 vocab Read PH 21
Week 13	PH 21: Vocabulary PH 21: Rhetorical questions Presentation #2 Specifications PH 22: Vocabulary PH 22: Symptoms, denials, ICLs Presentation #2 topic and source due Lab: PH 19-21, Presentation #3 vocab	Gloss and practice 10 rhetorical sentences Read PH 22 Pick Presentation #2 topic
Week 14	Study guide for Exam #3 Lab: PH 1 – 24 Presentation #3 vocab Practice Presentation #3 Interactive Section Finals #3 (rotations) EXAM #3 (PH 19 – 24, 6 sentence types, glossing, facial adverbs, temporal inflection, intensity inflection, etc.)	Prepare for final
Week 15	Final Deaf Event Reports due Presentation #2 practice Peer feedback Lab: Cumulative PH 1 - 24 Guidelines for finals Presentation #2 Review for finals, cumulative labs, prep for finals Sign up for finals	Prepare for final
Week 16	Interactive Final with Instructor by appointment	



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