

**Critical requirements are boldface in shaded areas**

Course Subject and Title	Credit Hours	Upper Division	Min. Grade	Important Notes
<b>Semester One: [16 Credit Hours]</b>				
<b>ASL 19201 American Sign Language I or SPED 19201 American Sign Language I</b>	<b>4</b>		<b>C</b>	
MATH 14001 Mathematical Concepts I	4			Fulfills LER Mathematics and Critical Reasoning
US 10097 Destination Kent State: FYE	1			Not required of transfer students with 25 credits
LER Basic Sciences	3			Visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/catalog">www.kent.edu/catalog</a> and search "LER" for course list
LER Basic Sciences Laboratory	1			
LER Fine Arts	3			
<b>Semester Two: [17 Credit Hours]</b>				
<b>ASL 19202 American Sign Language II or SPED 19202 American Sign Language II</b>	<b>4</b>		<b>C</b>	
COMM 15000 Introduction to Human Communication	3			Fulfills LER Additional
ENG 11011 College Writing I	3		C	Fulfills LER Composition
MATH 14002 Mathematical Concepts II	4			
PSYC 11762 General Psychology	3			Fulfills LER Social Sciences
<b>Summer I</b>				
If students are placed into any of the core mathematics courses (MATH 10021 to 10024) in the first two semesters, it is suggested that MATH 14001 and/or MATH 14002 be taken during the summer.				
<b>Semester Three: [18 Credit Hours]</b>				
<b>SPED 23000 Introduction to Exceptionalities</b>	<b>3</b>		<b>C</b>	<b>Fulfills domestic diversity course requirement</b>
<b>SPED 43100 Survey of the Interpreting Profession</b>	<b>3</b>	■	<b>C</b>	<b>Offered in fall only</b>
<b>SPED 43106 Classroom Setting Interpreting</b>	<b>3</b>	■	<b>C</b>	
<b>SPED 43309 Introduction to Deaf Studies</b>	<b>3</b>	■	<b>C</b>	<b>Fulfills writing-intensive course requirement</b>
ASL 19201 American Sign Language III or SPED 19201 American Sign Language III	3		C	
EDPF 29535 Education in a Democratic Society	3		C	
<b>Semester Four: [18 Credit Hours]</b>				
<b>SPA 34104 Speech and Language Development</b>	<b>3</b>	■	<b>C</b>	<b>Offered in spring only</b>
<b>SPED 43107 Nonclassroom Setting Interpreting</b>	<b>3</b>	■	<b>C</b>	
ASL 19202 American Sign Language IV or SPED 19202 American Sign Language IV	3		C	
CACM 11001 Introduction to Conflict Management	3			Fulfills LER Social Sciences
ITEC 19525 Educational Technology	3		C	
ENG 21011 College Writing II	3		C	Fulfills LER Composition
<b>Summer II:</b>				
It is suggested that students take any LER courses missing from semesters 1-4 during in the summer.				

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<b>Semester Five: [18 Credit Hours]</b>				
SPED 43102 Interpreting Processes Deaf Hard/Hearing I	3	■	C	Offered in fall only
SPED 43105 Signed English and Other Systems	3	■	C	
SPED 43111 The Professional Interpreter	3	■	C	
ASL 39201 American Sign Language V or SPED 39201 American Sign Language V	3	■	C	
PHIL 21001 Introduction to Ethics	3			Fulfills LER humanities and global diversity requirement
PSYC 20651 Child Psychology	3			Fulfills LER Additional
<b>Semester Six: [16 Credit Hours]</b>				
Requirement: apply for student teaching				
SPED 43092 Deaf Residential School Field Experience	1	■	C	Offered in spring only
SPED 43101 Deaf Culture and Community	3	■	C	
SPED 43103 Interpreting Processes Deaf/ Hard-of-Hearing II	3	■	C	
SPED 43110 Discourse Analysis for Interpreters	3	■	C	Must be taken with SPED 43101; offered in spring only
ASL 39202 American Sign Language VI or SPED 39202 American Sign Language VI	3	■	C	
SPA 43600 Fundamentals of Educational Audiology	3	■	C	
<b>Semester Seven: [15 Credit Hours]</b>				
Requirement: successful completion of the Sign Language Proficiency Interview (SLPI) at Intermediate level or above.				
SPED 43104 Interpreting Process III	3	■	C	Offered in fall only
SPED 43108 American Sign Language Linguistics and Usage	3	■	C	
SPED 43010 Family and Professional Collaboration	3	■	C	
LER Basic Sciences	3			Visit <a href="http://www.kent.edu/catalog">www.kent.edu/catalog</a> and search "LER" for course list
LER Humanities or Fine Arts	3			
<b>Semester Eight: [12 Credit Hours]</b>				
SPED 43981 Advanced Practicum in Educational Interpreting	9	■	S	
SPED 49525 Inquiry Seminar into Professional Practice	3	■	C	

### Graduation Requirements Summary

Total Hours	Upper-Division Hours	Liberal Education Requirements Hours	Diversity Course Global / Domestic	Writing-Intensive	Minimum	
					Major GPA	Overall GPA
129-130	39	36	PHIL 21001 / SPED 23000	SPED 43309	2.75	2.75

### Notes on Licensure:

1. Successfully complete Praxis II "Principles of Learning and Teaching" (grades K-6 passing score 168 or grades 7-12 passing score 165) and Praxis II specialty test "Education of Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing Students" (passing score 158). Praxis II "Introduction to the Teaching of Reading" (passing score 540) is necessary to meet "highly qualified teacher" (HQT) licensure.
2. Apply for teaching license (pick up licensure packet in 304 White Hall).

**Liberal Education Requirements (LER)**

Students must complete a minimum 36 credit hours of Liberal Education Requirements. Colleges or degree programs may specify certain courses to fulfill the requirements. Courses in the students' major field will not count toward the completion of any LER. Honors equivalents shall satisfy the LER. None of the courses on the LER list may be taken with a pass/fail grade.

**Diversity Course Requirement**

Students must complete a two-course diversity requirement, consisting of one with a domestic focus and one with a global focus. One course must be come from the LER and cannot be in the student's major. The second course may be taken as a second LER; or within a major or minor; or as a general elective; or, with dean's approval, by completing one semester of study in another country.

**Writing-Intensive Course Requirement**

Students must complete a one-course writing-intensive requirement in their major and earn minimum C (2.00) grade.

**Upper-Division Requirement**

In general, baccalaureate programs require the successful completion of at least 39 upper-division (numbered 30000 to 49999) credit hours of coursework. Programs in the College of Arts and Sciences require a minimum of 42 hours of upper-division coursework.