



AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE/ENGLISH INTERPRETING

The ASL/English Interpreting major prepares students to work with children and adults who are deaf or have hearing loss. Intensive training provides graduates with knowledge and authentic experiences to become confident, professional interpreters who are qualified to practice in educational and community settings.

DEGREE PROGRAM

- ▶ Bachelor of Science (B.S.)

**ONLY
FREESTANDING
DEGREE
PROGRAM IN
OHIO WITH K-12
STATE
LICENSURE**

PRACTICUM EXPERIENCE

- ▶ Students graduate with 500+ hours of work experience
- ▶ Community collaborations: counseling, nursing, Sorenson Video Relay Service, Purple Video Relay Services, Cleveland Hearing and Speech Center, Cleveland Museum of Art

EMPLOYMENT

Graduates of this program are employed in these areas:

- ▶ K-12 and post-secondary schools
- ▶ Community agencies for general practice
- ▶ Community interpreting (e.g., medical, mental health, business and industry, government, legal, and personal)
- ▶ Video relay interpreting agencies (e.g., Sorensen or Purple Video Relay)

- ▶ For more information about the American Sign Language/English Interpreting program, please visit [KENT.EDU/EHHS/LDES/ASEI](https://kent.edu/EHHS/LDES/ASEI). You may also contact Dr. Jamie L. McCartney at JMCCAR15@KENT.EDU

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Health and Human
Services**



STUDENT SATISFACTION

"The dedication and support that the faculty of Kent State's interpreting program provide their students is unmatched. They believe every student has potential to succeed and will give you the tools necessary to do so. My experiences at Kent are ones I will never forget, and I am forever grateful for the friendships and mentors I gained from this program. I owe all my successes to KSU's ASEI program."

TEHYA MORGAN, B.S. IN ASEI, '19

"The Kent State ASEI program was extremely productive, supportive, and provided varying perspectives on all aspects of what interpreters do, but the program was much more than that. It was a passionate group of both working and future interpreters who believed in leaving a positive mark on every place we go and individual we serve. ASEI ensures each student is able to become a successful, working interpreter with the proper tools to thrive in the professional environment and function as a life-long learner. I am forever grateful to my professors, peers, and Deaf community members who aided in my graduating with the privilege of working in my dream career."

JULIA COULMAN, B.S. IN ASEI, '19

**WANT TO HEAR MORE FROM STUDENTS?
WATCH THE ASEI PROGRAM VIDEO**

