# **North Hennepin Community College**

# ASL 2202: Intermediate American Sign Language II

### A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 4

Lecture Hours/Week: \*.\*

Lab Hours/Week: \*.\*

OJT Hours/Week: \*.\*

Prerequisites:

This course requires the following prerequisite

ASL 2201 - Intermediate American Sign Language I

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: Goal 08 - Global Perspective

This course gives students an opportunity to increase their listening and signing skills in depth. Students will meet Deaf people in a field trip setting to expose them to the Deaf world. Students may do observations with Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing people approximately three times.

Prerequisite: ASL 2201

## **B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES:** 07/15/1997 - Present

#### C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

- 1. additional practice in ASL, with an emphasis on expanded vocabulary, appropriate body language, and facial expressions
- 2. complex structures of ASL
- 3. reading signers
- 4. broadened understanding of the richness, regional diversity and complexity of the Deaf World using real-world opportunities as well as in-class resources
- 5. preparation for entering a collegiate interpreter program
- 6. preparation for any ASL proficiency or test-out examination

### **D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)**

- 1. Increase their ability to recognize and use signs by building upon their knowledge of vocabulary and structure from ASL 2201 (MNTC Goal 8, Comps b, d)(NHCC ELOs 1, 2, 3)
- 2. Sign fluently using appropriate facial expression and body language. (MNTC Goal 8, Comps a, b, d)(NHCC ELOs 2, 3, 4)
- 3. Increase their knowledge of ASL idioms and slang. (MNTC Goal 8, Comps b, d)(NHCC ELOs 2, 3, 4)
- 4. Increase their ability to sign in class without using their voices. (MNTC Goal 8, Comps b, d)(NHCC ELOs 2, 3, 4)
- 5. Be fluent in signing with Deaf/Hard-of-Hearing people. (MNTC Goal 8, Comps a, b, d)(NHCC ELOs 2, 3, 4)
- 6. Be ready to enter an ASL Interpreting program at another college. (MNTC Goal 8, Comps a, b, d)(NHCC ELOs 2, 3, 4)

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## E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

Goal 08 - Global Perspective

- 1. Describe and analyze political, economic, and cultural elements which influence relations of states and societies in their historical and contemporary dimensions.
- 2. Demonstrate knowledge of cultural, social, religious and linguistic differences.
- 3. Understand the role of a world citizen and the responsibility world citizens share for their common global future.

#### F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

#### G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

- 1. Knowledge of Human Cultures and the Physical and Natural World--Through study in the sciences, mathematics, social sciences, humanities, histories, languages, the arts, technology and professions.
- 2. Intellectual and Practical Skills--Including: Inquiry and analysis; Critical and creative thinking; Written and oral communication; Quantitative literacy; Information literacy; Teamwork and problem solving.
- 3. Personal and Social Responsibility and Engagement--Including: Civic knowledge and involvement-campus, local and global; Intercultural knowledge and competence; Ethical reasoning and action; Foundations and skills for lifelong learning.
- 4. Integrative and Applied Learning--Including: Synthesis and advanced accomplishment across general education, liberal studies, specialized studies and activities in the broader campus community.

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