

AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE PERMIT

<i>Name of Certificate</i>	Certificate will be referred to as an Educator Certificate.
<i>Certificate Type</i>	Educator Permit - A type of certificate for individuals who qualify to teach in specific fields, have specific leadership roles, or assist teachers with classroom support.
<i>Preparation Type</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • American Sign Language Educator Permit
<i>Duration and Expiration of Certificate</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Five-year Certificate • Certificates expire June 30th
<i>Fees</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$25 Initial Educator Certificate • \$25 5-year Renewal
<i>Requirements</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Receives a score of intermediate or Level 3 or higher on the Sign-Language Proficiency Instrument (SLPI), or receives certification from the American Sign-Language Teachers Association (ASLTA); and • Completes six semester hours of coursework including understanding deaf cultures and understanding American Sign Language grammar.
<i>Authorization</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Allows applicants to serve as an instructor of sign language.
<i>Renewal Requirements</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Requires a minimum of 3 continuing education credits which is equal to 45 clock hours of training to renew this certificate; and • One hour of Suicide Awareness and Prevention Training is required by state statute.

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Experience Requirements:

NA

Degree Requirements:

NA

Coursework Requirements:

Six semester hours of coursework in the following:

- Understanding deaf cultures; and
- Understanding American Sign Language grammar

State-Designated Test Requirements:

Test #	Test Name	Cut Score	Effective Date
NA	Sign-Language Proficiency Instrument (SLPI)	Level 3 or higher	05/15/2017

Other Requirements:

Certification or Licensure
Sign-Language Proficiency Instrument (SLPI)

Requirements to Add Educator Permit:

Preparation	Coursework		State-Designated Test		Certification
Educator Permit	X	AND	X	OR	X

Assignment Codes:

Code	Assignment Description
24850	Elementary American Sign Language
24852	American Sign Language I
24853	American Sign Language II
24854	American Sign Language III
24855	American Sign Language IV
24899	Grades 5-8 American Sign Language