Wayne County Community College District

COURSE SYLLABUS

ASL 107 Introduction to the American Deaf Culture

CREDIT HOURS: 4.00

CONTACT HOURS: 60.00

COURSE DESCRIPTION:
This class is designed to introduce the students to the Deaf community as a complex and diverse community with a rich heritage and prosperous future. This course focuses on three aspects of the deaf community and culture: 1) historical perspectives and cultural norms within the Deaf community, 2) diversity within the Deaf community and 3) artistic expression and humor.

PREREQUISITES: NONE

EXPECTED COMPETENCIES:
Upon completion of this course, the student will be familiar with:
- Introduce students to the culture of the Deaf.
- To provide a basic understanding of the diversity within Deaf community.
- To acquire knowledge of the history of the Deaf community.

ASSESSMENT METHODS:
Student performance may be assessed by examination, quizzes, case studies, oral conversation, group discussion, oral presentations. The instructor reserves the option to employ one or more of these assessment methods during the course.

GRADING SCALE:
90%-100% = A
80%-89.9% = B
70%-79.9% = C
60%-69.9% = D
<60% = E