

Interested in learning ASL? Please read the information below for full details:

Red River College Polytechnic is excited to share that our Continuing Education Department is offering a number of fun and interactive ASL evening classes for all skill levels. Whether you are new to ASL or someone who wants to build on your ASL fluency, we have a class for you!

For information on how to register, please follow the link below:

<u>Personal/Professional Development - Course Dates and Fees :: RRC Polytech Program</u>

& Course Catalogue

The 4 ASL classes currently being offered are:

1. American Sign Language 1 (ASLD-1011)

September 13 – December 20, 2023 – Wednesdays
This course is a pre-requisite for ASLD-1012
5:30 pm – 8:30 pm

This introductory course is designed for students with little or no knowledge of American Sign Language (ASL). Students will learn the basic skills required to communicate with Deaf people and some rules of ASL grammar and syntax. Students will be exposed to everyday communications such as greetings and introductions and exchanging basic information. An introduction to Deaf culture and the Deaf Community will also be included.

2. American Sign Language 2 (ASLD-1012)

September 13 – December 20, 2023 – Wednesdays 5:30 pm – 8:30 pm

The successful completion of ASLD-1011 is required before registering for this course. This course is a pre-requisite for ASLD-1013

This course is a study of American Sign Language designed to increase the student's proficiency in intermediate ASL communication skills with emphasis on comprehension and conversation skills, cultural awareness, grammatical features, facial expressions, and vocabulary development. This course will provide a continued focus on developing the student's insight into the culture and community of Deaf people.

3. American Sign Language 3 (ASLD-1013)

September 12 – December 19, 2023 – Tuesdays

The successful completion of ASLD-1012 is required before registering for this course. This course is a study of American Sign Language designed to increase the student's proficiency in ASL communication skills with emphasis on comprehension and conversation skills, cultural awareness, grammatical features, facial expressions, numbers and vocabulary development, and the use of Spatial spaces. This course builds upon the student's knowledge of ASL and Deaf culture and community.

4. ASL Bridging 1

September 12 – December 19, 2023 – Tuesdays 5:30 pm – 8:30 pm

The course offers the opportunity to maintain and enhance ASL by progressing from common concrete communications, communicative events, and interactions, to language usage expressing abstract ideas. Emphasis is placed on the comprehension and production of increasingly complex linguistic structures with a focus on dialogue and conversational expressions.

Please register early while spots are available!! The first day of classes is September 12^{th.}