



2022 - 2023 Bachelor of Arts in American Sign Language Linguistics & Deaf Culture

50 Units

Use this checklist in combination with your official Academic Requirements Report (ARR). This checklist is not intended to replace advising. Consult the advisor for appropriate course sequencing. *Curriculum changes in progress. Requirements subject to change.*

To be considered for admission to the major, complete the following Major Specific Requirements (MSR) by 60 units:

- **ASLD 101 and ASLD 102** with a "C" or better and a minimum 2.0 overall GPA
- Grades of "C" or better in GE Foundations

Courses	Prerequisites
Complete ALL of the following courses with grades of "C" or better (8 units total):	
ASLD 101: American Sign Language 1 (4)	Corequisite: One GE Foundation
ASLD 102: American Sign Language 2 (4)	ASLD 101 or Equivalent
Complete ALL of the following courses (14 units total):	
ASLD 124: American Deaf Cultures (3)	
ASLD 201: American Sign Language 3 (4)	ASLD 101 and 102; or Consent of Instructor
ASLD 202: American Sign Language 4 (4)	ASLD 201 or Consent of Instructor
LING/ANTH 170: Introduction to Linguistics (3)	
Complete ALL of the following courses (19 units total):	
ASLD 305: American Sign Language 5 (4)	ASLD 124 and 202; or Consent of Instructor
ASLD 306: American Sign Language Linguistics (3)	LING/ANTH 170 and ASLD 102
ASLD 324: Critical Deaf and Disability Studies (3)	Corequisite: ASLD 201 or Consent of Instructor
ASLD 424: Global Deaf Cultures and Languages (3)	LING/ANTH 170, ASLD 101, and 124; or Consent
LING 325: Modern English Grammar (3)	
LING/ANTH 413: Language and Culture (3)	LING/ANTH 170 or Consent of Instructor
Complete ONE of the following courses (3 units total):	
LING 421: Syntax (3)	LING 325
LING 422: Discourse Analysis (3)	Corequisite: LING 421 or Consent of Instructor
LING/ENGL 423: Semantics (3)	LING 325 or ENGL 320 or Consent of Instructor
LING 477: Language Socialization (3)	
ASLD Specified Upper Division Electives - Complete TWO of the following courses (6 units total):	
ASLD 456: Sign Language Sociolinguistics (3)	ASLD 305, 306
ASLD 490: Special Topics in ASL Linguistics and Deaf Cultures (1 - 6)	Consent of Instructor
ASLD 499: Directed Study in ASL Linguistics and Deaf Cultures (1 - 6)	Consent of Instructor
LING 301: Introduction to Research Methods (3)	LING/ANTH 170 or Consent of Instructor
LING 329: Introduction to Language Acquisition (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing
LING 379: Sociolinguistics (3)	LING/ANTH 170
LING 401: Corpus Linguistics (3)	LING/ANTH 170 or Consent of Instructor
LING 420: Phonology (3)	LING/ANTH 170 or Consent of Instructor
LING 421: Syntax (3)	LING 325
LING 422: Discourse Analysis (3)	Corequisite: LING 421 or Consent of Instructor
LING/ENGL 423: Semantics (3)	LING 325 or ENGL 320 or Consent of Instructor
LING/ENGL 426: History of the English Language (3)	LING/ANTH 170 or Consent of Instructor
LING 438: Psycholinguistics (3)	LING/ANTH 170 or Consent of Instructor
LING 460: Teaching Second Language Composition (3)	LING 325 or Consent of Instructor
LING 470/ANTH/WGSS 475: Language and Gender in Cross-Cultural Perspective (3)	

LING 472: Language and Social Justice (3)	GE Foundations; Upper Division Standing; Passing Score on GPE (or Necessary Portfolio)
LING 477: Language Socialization (3)	
LING 490: Selected Topics in Linguistics (1 - 3)	Consent of Instructor
LING 499: Directed Studies in Linguistics (1 - 6)	Consent of Instructor

In order to graduate from CSULB, students must complete General Education/GWAR/Major requirements and have a minimum of 120 units (40 must be upper division) with at least a 2.0 in all GPAs (Overall, CSULB, Major).

Additional Information

- **See online Catalog for additional course information, limitations, and requirements.**
- Some courses may also fulfill GE requirements. Visit the GE website for course selection: csulb.edu/general-education.
- A course can only be used to satisfy one major requirement. Double counting is not allowed within the major.

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