

INTERPRETER PREPARATION, A.S.

The 35 units in this degree plus all MSJC General Education Option A (24 units) to include ANTH-145 Introduction to Linguistic Anthropology (formerly Introduction to Language and Linguistics) (3 units) and COMM-100 Public Speaking (3 units) for a total of 60 units is required to earn an Associate in Science in Interpreter Preparation.

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Program Map Design Your Future!

Begin by exploring MSJC program maps to find a career or transfer (<https://msjc.emsicc.com/?radius=®ion=All%20Regions>) opportunities. Program maps show the recommended sequence of courses that lead to graduation or transfer. The maps were developed by program experts to give you the skills and knowledge you need to succeed.

- **Starting in Spring?** Choose Fall Semester 1 courses.
- **Are you a part-time student?** Start Fall Semester 1 courses and follow the course sequence.

MSJC General Education Option A

Fall Semester 1		Units
ENGL-101	College Composition (formerly Freshman Composition)	4
MATH-115	Ideas of Mathematics	3
ASL-110	Deaf Culture and Community	3
ASL-201	American Sign Language III (formerly ASL-103)	4
Units		14
Spring Semester 1		Units
ASL-202	American Sign Language IV (formerly ASL-104)	4
ASL-203	American Sign Language V (formerly ASL-105)	3
ASL-501	Fingerspelling, Numbers & Classifiers (formerly ASL-102)	3
ANTH-145	Introduction to Linguistic Anthropology (formerly Introduction to Language and Linguistics) ³	3
Units		13
Fall Semester 2		Units
IPP-510	Introduction to ASL/English Interpreting (formerly IPP-101)	3
IPP-511	Processing Skills Development (formerly IPP-103)	3
ASL-505	American Sign Language Linguistics (formerly ASL-150)	3
HIST-111 or HIST-112	U.S. History to 1877 or U.S. History Since 1865	3

CSCR-116	Integrative Career/Life Planning (formerly GUID-116)	3
Units		15
Spring Semester 2		
IPP-515	ASL to English Interpreting I (formerly IPP-104)	3
IPP-516	English to ASL Interpreting I (formerly IPP-105)	3
IPP-610	Ethical & Professional Standards of Interpreting (formerly IPP-201)	3
ENGL-103	Critical Thinking and Writing	3
ANTH-101	Physical Anthropology	3
Units		15
Fall Semester 3		
IPP-615	ASL to English Interpreting II (formerly IPP-204)	3
IPP-616	English to ASL Interpreting II (formerly IPP-205)	3
COMM-100	Public Speaking ³	3
PS-101	Introduction to American Government and Politics	3
Units		12
Spring Semester 3		
IPP-625	Specialized Interpreting (formerly IPP-210)	3
IPP-650	Practicum and Seminar (formerly IPP-250)	2
Units		5
Total Units		74

³ Other General Education courses cannot be substituted for ANTH 145 and COMM 100 as they are required for the degree

Requirements

An Associate Degree in this program requires students to follow MSJC's General Education, Option A and complete all general education areas, all major requirements, and complete an overall total of 60 degree applicable units with a minimum 2.0 GPA.

Course	Title	Credits
MSJC General Education Option A (https://catalog.msjc.edu/degrees-certificates-curricula/general-education-option-a/)		24
Required Courses		35
Electives (as needed to reach 60 units)		
Course	Title	Credits
Required Courses		
ASL-110	Deaf Culture and Community	3
ASL-203	American Sign Language V (formerly ASL-105)	3
ASL-505	American Sign Language Linguistics (formerly ASL-150)	3
IPP-510	Introduction to ASL/English Interpreting (formerly IPP-101)	3
IPP-511	Processing Skills Development (formerly IPP-103)	3
IPP-515	ASL to English Interpreting I (formerly IPP-104)	3

IPP-516	English to ASL Interpreting I (formerly IPP-105)	3
IPP-610	Ethical & Professional Standards of Interpreting (formerly IPP-201)	3
IPP-615	ASL to English Interpreting II (formerly IPP-204)	3
IPP-616	English to ASL Interpreting II (formerly IPP-205)	3
IPP-625	Specialized Interpreting (formerly IPP-210)	3
IPP-650	Practicum and Seminar (formerly IPP-250)	2
Total Units		35

Career Exploration

Discover information about careers that interest you!

1. Take a Career Quiz (<https://msjc.emsicc.com/assessment/>) to learn about yourself and receive career suggestions based on your interests.
2. Search available in-demand jobs (<https://msjc.emsicc.com/browse-careers/>) in your career areas of interest and find up-to-date salaries and education requirements.
3. Find the MSJC Program (<https://msjc.emsicc.com/browse-programs/>) that connects your interests to a career.

Note: There are no guaranteed positions for students completing these programs. Education and work experience required will vary by employer. The salary and benefits for specific occupations will be dependent on work experience, education, background, and employer.