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“Learning ASL without interacting with Deaf people is the same as learning to swim without water.”

- Dr. Bill Yates

Interactive		Asynchronous	
 Florida School for the Deaf & the Blind <i>Do More. Be More. Achieve More.</i>	FSDB Outreach offers ASL interactive classes several times throughout the school year at no cost. Space is limited and offered based on availability.		The RMTC-DHH Media and Materials Loan Library offers a FREE loan library service of DVDs and books to learn ASL for Florida stakeholders.
 REGIONAL EARLY ACQUISITION OF LANGUAGE	REAL offers free online ASL lessons to Florida parents/caregivers of students who are DHH ages 0-3. Email sreal@aidb.org to find out when the next class will be offered.		The Described & Captioned Media Program (DCMP) ASL Training Resources for Parents and Educators is a huge collection of free ASL training materials for qualifying families, teachers, and interpreters.
	Florida Virtual School (FLVS) offers ASL as a foreign language and students can meet other students who sign.		ASL Connect by Gallaudet University offers multiple ways to learn ASL. They also have an ASL summer residency program on campus.
	ASDC offers online classes on a variety of topics for families and children of all ages wanting to learn ASL. Prices posted for each workshop.		ASL at Home is a free family curriculum in English and Spanish for families to learn ASL with young children who are DHH.
	SignOn with ASDC connects families of children who are DHH with a Deaf ASL ambassador for one-on-one ASL practice and mentoring.		American Sign Language University (ASLU) has free self-study resources or for a fee learners can have an instructor-guided course.
	Friends Like Me with ASDC provides a DHH adult mentor to facilitate weekly meetups to connect children who are DHH with peers of the same age to engage in conversation.		SignIt ASL is an online course for adults and kids ages 8+. <i>It is free for families of children who are DHH ages 0-36 months.</i>
Local Community Resources	Every community is different, but ASL classes may be available at local places such as colleges, community education opportunities at public schools, churches, and independent living resource centers.	Online Resources	A variety of resources can be found online that provide synchronous or asynchronous ASL lessons. It is recommended to check the teacher's or organization's credentials to ensure accurate information is shared.



RMTC-DHH Free Loan Media & Materials Library

Learn American Sign Language with DVDs and books for Florida Stakeholders.

	<u>Catalog Number(s)</u>	<u>Title</u>		<u>Catalog Number(s)</u>	<u>Title</u>
	3	ABC Phonics: Sing, Sign, and Read!		396, 399, 400, 453, 454	Once upon a Sign
	24	Tangible – ASL Classifiers Concepts		91, 1024-1037	Bravo Family
	215	The American Sign Language Handshape Dictionary		395, 405-416, 561-577	Signing Time Series
	218	1,000 Words to Sign in ASL		581-589	TreeSchoolers Series
	232	Sign Language 101 – A Beginner's Guide to ASL		783-754	Learn & Master Sign Language Series
	361	Sign ASL? Sure You Can!		1206	ASL Basics for Hearing Parents of Deaf Children
	366	Handy Stories to Read and Sign		1207-1211	A Basic Course in ASL

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