

Services & Placement Options

Deaf, Hard of Hearing, or Deaf/Blind Students

North Santiam School District

We strive to provide all students with the individual services they need in the least restrictive of environments. The following describes options available to students with Deaf, Hard of Hearing or Deaf/Blind Students.

Regional Inclusive Services
With specialized expertise, RIS offers Specially Designed Instruction, coaching, consultation, assistive technology and other supports to meet the needs of Deaf and Hard of Hearing students within their class setting. RIS services are provided by Teachers of the Deaf/HH on an itinerant basis.

Regional Classroom Options

Regional classrooms provide specially designed instruction with an emphasis on language development (ASL, spoken language) in a learning environment to ensure appropriate opportunities for social and learning interaction. Teachers of the Deaf/HH are on site to support students and school staff.

Oregon School for the Deaf

OSD is located in Salem and offers both day school and residential options. Classroom instruction is conducted in American Sign Language at all times.