

FOUR-YEAR STUDENT DEGREE PLAN 2021-2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

Degree:	Bachelor of Arts	Credits required for degree:	120
Major:	ASL English Interpretation	Credits required in major:	56
Concentration	n:	Estimated semesters to complete this degree plan:	8

1st Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	15	Total Semester Credit Hours	15
SIGN 101 American Sign Language I	3	SIGN 102 American Sign Language II	3
SIGN 125 Deaf Culture	3	SIGN 128 Introduction to Interpreting	3
ENGL 111 Writing and Rhetoric I (Core)	3	ENGL 112 Writing and Rhetoric II (Core)	3
CCCX 1** First Semester Experience (Core)	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective	3	College-Wide Elective	3
3rd Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	15	Total Semester Credit Hours	15
SIGN 201 American Sign Language III	3	SIGN 202 American Sign Language IV	3
SIGN 228 Linguistics of ASL	3	SIGN 235 Foundations of Translation	3
CCCX 2** Creative Communities (Core)	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
Columbia Core Requirement	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
College-Wide Elective	3	College-Wide Elective	3
5th Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	6th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	15	Total Semester Credit Hours	15
SIGN 340 Foundations of Interpreting	3	SIGN 341 Interpreting Dialogic Discourse	3
SIGN 260 Creativity and ASL	3	SIGN 342 Interpreting Simultaneous Discourse	3
Major Elective	3	SIGN 310 Advanced ASL	3
Columbia Core Requirement	3	CCCX 3** Innovation and Impact (Core)	3
Columbia Core Requirement	3	Columbia Core Requirement	3
7th Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	8th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	16	Total Semester Credit Hours	14
SIGN 481 Interpreting Practicum I	3	SIGN 482 Interpreting Practicum II	4
SIGN 343 Interpreting Advanced Discourse		SIGN 305 Multicultural Issues	3
SIGN 325 Theory of Interpretation		College-Wide Elective	3
Columbia Core Requirement		College-Wide Elective	4
Columbia Core Requirement			

Notes on the Four-Year Student Degree Plan:

This degree plan is a suggested sequence only. Students should consult with their Academic Advisors and Academic Departments to develop their unique individual plans.

Essential LAS Core Requirements include English, Mathematics, Sciences, Literature, Humanities, History, and Social Sciences. Columbia Experience Core Requirements include First-Semester Experience, Creative Communities, and Innovation and Impact courses.

Major Electives include courses required to be completed to finish a major, and students will choose from a list of Major Electives in the course catalog.

College-Wide Electives include all courses and credits not specifically applied towards the Columbia Core or Major Requirements.

All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 6 credits of **Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI)** coursework. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 9 credits of **advanced (200 or higher level)** coursework in the Columbia Core.

Students are encouraged to consider declaring a Minor to complete their required College-Wide Elective credits.

Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is a minimum of 12 attempted credits per semester, but the cost of tuition is the same for 12-16 attempted credits. Students are encouraged to attempt 15-16 credits each semester for financial reasons and to complete their degree (120-128 minimum credits) in a timely fashion.



TRANSFER STUDENT DEGREE PLAN 2021-2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

Degree:	Bachelor of Arts	Credits required for degree:	120
Major:	ASL English Interpretation	Credits required in major:	56
Concentration	n:	Estimated semesters to complete this degree plan:	8

1st Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	2nd Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours	6	Total Semester Credit Hours	9
SIGN 101 American Sign Language	3	SIGN 102 American Sign Language	3
SIGN 125 Deaf Culture	3	SIGN 128 Introduction to Interpreting	3
		CCCX 3** Innovation and Impact (Core)	3
3rd Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	4th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours		Total Semester Credit Hours	6
SIGN 201 American Sign Language III	3	SIGN 202 American Sign Language IV	3
SIGN 228 Linguistics of ASL	3	SIGN 235 Foundations of Translation	3
5th Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	6th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours		Total Semester Credit Hours	9
SIGN 340 Foundations of Interpreting	3	SIGN 341 Interpreting Dialogic Discourse	3
SIGN 260 Creativity and ASL	3	SIGN 342 Interpreting Simultaneous Discourse	3
Major Elective (see course catalog for options)	3	SIGN 310 Advanced ASL	3
7th Semester Courses (Typically the Fall Semester)	Credit Hours	8th Semester Courses (Typically the Spring Semester)	Credit Hours
Total Semester Credit Hours		Total Semester Credit Hours	7
SIGN 481 Interpreting Practicum I	3	SIGN 482 Interpreting Practicum II	4
SIGN 343 Interpreting Advanced Discourse	4	SIGN 305 Multicultural Issues	3
SIGN 325 Theory of Interpretation	3		

Notes on the Transfer Student Degree Plan:

This degree plan assumes a student is starting at Columbia with a **minimum of 60 credits in transfer** and the completion of the Essential LAS Core Requirements. **This degree plan is a suggested sequence only.** Students should consult with their Academic Advisors and Academic Departments to **Essential LAS Core Requirements** include English, Mathematics, Sciences, Literature, Humanities, History, and Social Sciences. **Columbia Experience Core Requirements** include First-Semester Experience, Creative Communities, and Innovation and Impact courses.

Major Electives include courses required to be completed to finish a major, and students will choose from a list of Major Electives in the course catalog.

College-Wide Electives include all courses and credits not specifically applied towards the Columbia Core or Major Requirements.

All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 6 credits of **Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion (DEI)** coursework. All degree-seeking undergraduate students are required to complete 9 credits of **advanced (200 or higher level)** coursework in the Columbia Core.

Students are encouraged to consider declaring a Minor to complete their required College-Wide Elective credits.

Full-time status at Columbia College Chicago is a minimum of 12 attempted credits per semester, but the cost of tuition is the same for 12-16 attempted credits. Students are encouraged to attempt 15-16 credits each semester for financial reasons and to complete their degree (120-128 minimum credits) in a timely fashion.