

WEATHER CLOSINGS & DELAYS

We follow weather closings for VU Aviation Center. Please see your local television station for updates on closings or delays.



Attendance Policy

The Vincennes University policy is based upon the notion that students will attend all sessions of the class in which they are enrolled. Consequently, missing class for any reason will be regarded as an absence. When absences result from an approved and required University activity, they will not be counted against a student and the work missed may be made up.

Students who miss class hours totaling twice the number of credit hours awarded for the course, or the equivalent of two weeks of class instruction, are eligible to be dropped from class.

In all cases, it is best to communicate directly with your instructor when you know you will be absent.

<http://catalog.vinu.edu/content.php?catoid=26&navoid=2130&hl=%22Attendance+Policy%22&returnto=search#Atte>

Residential Housing

Residential housing is available for students. Students must be registered for 10 or more credits per semester. Housing fees are \$1500 per semester.

For more information contact the ASL & Deaf Studies Program Office.



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HANDBOOK

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Dr. Cynthia Sanders, Program Chair

WELCOME

On behalf of the faculty and staff of the Vincennes University ASL & Deaf Studies Program, we wish you a great year! We are here to assist you if you have a question or need direction.

Have a GREAT Year!

About Our Program

The mission of the Vincennes University ASL & Deaf Studies Program is to provide high quality ASL and Deaf Culture studies instruction.

Our program includes a three-pronged approach:

- Learning-centered instruction, in and out of the classroom.
- Application and practice acquiring and using ASL.
- Interaction with Deaf people in the community.

ASL Zone

It is well documented that a full-immersion approach to language learning is a superior method. This is the reason we insist on visual communication in our classrooms, hallways, and office. You are permitted to use verbal communication in your general education classes and in the student lounge.

IMPORTANT CONTACTS

ASL & Deaf Studies Program

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WiFi: VU WiFi SSDI (Use you're MYVU login and password to connect)

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Main Switchboard for VU: 1-812-888-8888

Bursar's Office: 812-888-4224

Financial Aid Office: 812-888-4361

Registrar's Office: 812-888-4220

Learning Unlimited Tutoring: 812-888-5900

Management Information Center: 812-888-4332

***Parking Permits and Student ID's are issued in the office.**

Our Website

<https://my.vinu.edu/web/asl>

This is the place to find events and student information specifically related to our program.



Also see us on Facebook:

Vincennes University American Sign Language Program