# NEW YORK SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

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# **POSITION DESCRIPTION**

TITLE: Teacher - ASL

#### **REPORTS TO:** Principal

#### MAJOR RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Teach ASL to K-12 students
- Help develop or identify deaf studies curriculum for Pre-K through 12
- Assess ASL linguistic and communication needs of students; write ASL assessment reports
- Propose strategies for improved ASL instruction and learning; work with teachers to implement strategies
- Develop and identify materials/resources to support ASL instruction and learning in the classroom
- Work with teachers to integrate deaf studies information in their lessons
- Participate in multidisciplinary ASL evaluations of incoming students, as needed
- Participate as a member of the instructional team
- Serve as an educational resource person on issues related to deaf studies, ASL, and communication
- Work closely with the Bilingual Coordinator and other ASL staff on relevant projects and strategies
- Perform other duties as assigned

## **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- NY State Certification required or willingness to obtain within one year of employment any combination of:
  - American Sign Language (Grades 5-9),
  - Students with Disabilities American Sign Language (Grades 5-9),
  - American Sign Language (Grades 7-12),
  - Students with Disabilities American Sign Language (Grades 7-12),
  - American Sign Language Grades 1-6 ext.,
  - American Sign Language Grades 7-9 ext.,
  - American Sign Language- Special Class limited ext.
- Master's degree in Deaf Education or related field, with coursework related to ASL, Linguistics, Deaf Studies
- Fluency in American Sign Language
- Experience working with deaf children and/or youth

SALARY: Per the Fanwood Teacher's Association contract.\$52,486 - \$118,603

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