

aQ2 Summary Report – American Sign Language Program – Malone

Highlights of the American Sign Language Program from October to December 2014.

Curriculum Development and Instruction

- A program visit was completed to El Camino College, Ohlone and Mt. San Antonio College and Sign Language Labs were reviewed.
- Currently updating our American Sign Language curriculum from 3 to 4 units to align ourselves with California State University, Northridge and the majority of other community colleges offering ASL classes.
- Updating textbook selection for Fall of 2015 for ASL 1 and ASL 2.
- An inventory of new technology or equipment for the language lab is being done. Some essential equipment and material has been ordered for the lab.
- Met with our IT department to discuss necessary hardware, software programming, and information systems to implement Camtasia in the new language lab.
- Met with the library to review and update material available for student checkout.
- Creating a brochure and updating website update for the ASL program.

Professional Development

- Facilitator and Adjunct staff will attend training for the new textbook at UCLA in January. We will have a three day review with the authors of the new book.
- Attended an on-campus training for the use of Camtasia Relay. We are hoping to utilize this technology with our staff and students for all ASL classes.
- Attended a local consortium to find out what the business sector is seeing a need for in our future students and programs.
- Met with Don Busche to receive training on website design.