

FALL 2026 ASL CLASSES

General Class Information

We are thrilled to share our latest non-credit offerings with you!
We have several in-person and virtual options for children, teens, and adults.



CLASS FORMAT & LENGTH

Each level meets for a total of 20 hours over ten weeks unless otherwise stated.
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COST

The cost for one ten-week course is **\$200**.



TEXTBOOK

Our Level 1 classes utilize the textbook *A Basic Course in American Sign Language (ABC) – Second Edition*, which can be purchased separately from Amazon, eBay, or www.diglo.com.
The textbook costs approximately \$40 to continue for Levels 2, 3, 4, and 5 in the future.



CLASS INSTRUCTION

All classes are presented in ASL and taught by Deaf individuals.
Classes are for students age 18 or older unless otherwise stated.



POLICIES

DHCC reserves the right to cancel and/or combine classes due to insufficient enrollment on the date of the deadline. DHCC will only run a class if the paid enrollment minimum is met by the deadline. No refunds will be given after the first night of class.



QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions, reach out to asl@dhcc.org to inquire.
We hope to see you this fall!



REGISTRATION DEADLINE

Registration must be submitted by **Thursday, October 8th**.
If you are unable to register for any reason, please contact us at asl@dhcc.org or (484) 206-7896.

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ADULT ASL CLASS GUIDE

Find the right level for you!

ASL LEVELS (Using A Basic Course in American Sign Language (ABC))

ASL
1

Best for Beginners

- Learn basic vocabulary
- Introduction to ASL grammar
- Lessons 1–5
- Deaf culture & history
- Conversational foundations

ASL
2

For students who completed ASL 1

- Lessons 6–10
- Expanded vocabulary
- More grammar & dialogue

ASL
3

For students who completed ASL 2

- Lessons 11–16
- Increased fluency
- Cultural awareness

ASL
4

For students who completed ASL 3

- Lessons 17–22
- Advanced grammar
- Complex conversations

ASL
5

For students who completed ASL 4

- Review Lessons 1–22 (ABC)
- Vocabulary mastery
- Deaf history & culture



DEAF CULTURE, FINGERSPELLING & NUMBERING

- MUST complete ASL 2 or evaluation with a qualified Deaf instructor
- Focus on the basics of ASL, including numbers, fingerspelling & classifiers

CONVERSATIONAL ASL PROGRESSION

Convo 1

Build receptive & expressive skills



Convo 2

Real-time conversations & storytelling improvement



Convo 3

Stronger conversational fluency & storytelling



Convo 4

Advanced dialogue & Deaf Culture



Advanced
Convo

In-depth storytelling & advanced fluency



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Deaf-Hearing Communication Centre

FALL 2026 ASL CLASSES

Weekday and Weeknight In-Person & Virtual Offerings
Register at <https://www.dhcc.org/education-programs/asl-classes>



DHCC
Deaf-Hearing
Communication Centre
630 Fairview Rd.,
Ste. 103
Swarthmore, PA 19081



TECHOWL
TechOwl
Community Space
1392 Cecil B. Moore Ave.,
Philadelphia, PA 19122



PAH
PAHrtners
Deaf Services
614 N Easton Rd.,
Glenside, PA 19038



TBP
404 Queen St.,
Philadelphia,
PA 19147



PSD
Pennsylvania School
for the Deaf (PSD)
100 West School House
Philadelphia, PA 19144



TEN-WEEK VIRTUAL CLASSES 6:30–8:30pm

CLASS	DAY & DATES	MAKE-UP
ASL 1a	Mon 10/19–12/21	(make-up 12/28)
ASL 2a	Mon 10/19–12/21	(make-up 12/28)
Convo ASL (a)	Mon 10/19–12/21	(make-up 12/28)
ASL 1b	Tue 10/20–12/22	(make-up 12/29)
ASL 2b	Tue 10/20–12/22	(make-up 12/29)
ASL 1c	Wed 10/21–12/23	(make-up 12/30)
ASL 2c	Wed 10/21–12/23	(make-up 12/30)



TEN-WEEK VIRTUAL CLASSES 6:30–8:30pm

CLASS	DAY & DATES	MAKE-UP
ASL 3c	Wed 10/21–12/23	(make-up 12/30)
ASL 4c	Wed 10/21–12/23	(make-up 12/30)
ASL 1d	Thu 10/22–1/14	(make-up 1/21)



SATURDAY MORNING VIRTUAL CLASSES

CLASS	DAY & DATES	MAKE-UP	TIME
Adv Convo-f	Sat 10/24–1/16	(make-up 1/23)	8:00–10:00 AM
ASL 1f	Sat 10/24–1/16	(make-up 1/23)	8:00–10:00 AM



TEN-WEEK IN-PERSON CLASSES 6:30–8:30pm

CLASS	DAY & DATES	MAKE-UP
PAH ASL 2	Mon 10/19–12/21	(make-up 12/28)
PAH Convo ASL 2	Mon 10/19–12/21	(make-up 12/28)
DHCC Convo ASL	Wed 10/21–12/23	(make-up 12/30)
DHCC ASL 1	Tue 10/20–12/22	(make-up 12/29)
DHCC ASL 2	Tue 10/20–12/22	(make-up 12/29)
Tech-Owl ASL 1	Tue 10/20–12/22 (6pm–8pm)*	(make-up 12/29)



TEN-WEEK IN-PERSON CLASSES 6:30–8:30pm

CLASS	DAY & DATES	MAKE-UP
PSD ASL 1	Wed 10/21–12/23	(make-up 12/30)
TBP ASL 4	Wed 10/21–12/23	(make-up 12/30)
TBP ASL 1	Thu 10/22–1/14	(make-up 1/21)
DHCC ASL 1	Thu 10/22–1/14	(make-up 1/21)
PAH ASL 4	Thu 10/22–1/14	(make-up 1/21)
PAH ASL 1	Thu 10/22–1/14	(make-up 1/21)



TEN-WEEK IN-PERSON CLASS

10:00 am – 12:00 pm

CLASS	DAY & DATES	MAKE-UP
DHCC ASL 1	Fri 10/23–1/15 10:00 am – Noon	(make-up 1/22)
DHCC ASL 4	Fri 10/23–1/15 10:00 am – Noon	(make-up 1/22)

REGISTER FOR ADULTS CLASSES



Scan the QR code or visit
www.dhcc.org/education-programs/asl-classes



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*For your information: a,b,c,d,e, and f correspond to Monday (a), Tuesday (b), Wednesday (c), Thursday (d), Friday (e), and Saturday (f).



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KIDS ASL CLASSES – VIRTUAL

The ten-week costs \$75 for thirty minutes per week.

Kids - 1b (ages 2-5)	Tue, Oct. 20 – Dec. 22 (makeup - Jan 29)	4 - 4:30pm
Kids - 2b (ages 6-8)	Tue, Oct. 20 – Dec. 22	4:35 - 5:05pm
Kids - 3b (ages 9-11)	Tue, Oct. 20 – Dec. 22	5:10 - 5:40pm



\$75
for 10 weeks
30 minutes/week

Learn basic ASL, simple conversations, games, and fun activities!



TEEN ASL CLASSES – VIRTUAL & IN-PERSON

The ten-week costs \$100 for one hour per week.

Teen 1b (ages 12-17)	Tue, Oct. 20 – Dec. 22	5 - 6pm
Teen 2b (ages 12-17)	Tue, Oct. 20 – Dec. 22	6 - 7pm



\$100
for 10 weeks
1 hour/week

Build your ASL skills, make new friends, and be part of a supportive community!

TEEN ASL CLASSES – IN-PERSON

In-person classes will be held at:

Deaf-Hearing Communication Centre
630 Fairview Rd., Ste. 103, Swarthmore, PA 19081

GOOD TO KNOW

- ✓ 10-week sessions for virtual kids' classes.
- ✓ 5-week sessions for in-person kids' classes.
- ✓ Weekday & weeknight in-person & virtual offerings.
- ✓ All classes are presented in ASL and taught by Deaf individuals.
- ✓ Adults 18+ unless otherwise noted.
- ✓ Textbook for ASL 1-5: *A Basic Course in American Sign Language (ABC) - Second Edition* (approx. \$40) Purchase separately from Amazon, eBay, or www.diglo.com.
- ✓ DHCC reserves the right to cancel and/or combine classes due to insufficient enrollment by the registration deadline.
- ✓ No refunds after the first night of class.



REGISTRATION
DEADLINE

**THURSDAY
OCTOBER 8th, 2026**



SCAN TO REGISTER

dhcc.org/education-programs/asl-classes



ASL STORYTIME & PLAY HOUR

We are excited to announce ASL Storytime and Play Hour for children ages 2-5 and 6-8. In-person event will take place at the DHCC community room, located at 630 Fairview Rd., Suite 100, Swarthmore, PA.

Saturday, October 24th – November 21st

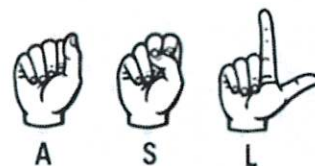
Ages 2-5	9:00 – 10:00 AM
Ages 6-8	10:00 – 11:00 AM



WHEN:
Saturdays



COST:
\$50.00 for 5 weeks



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