



27th Annual Summer Institute for Educational Interpreters

June 10 - 13, 2019

Sponsored by Tennessee Schools for the Deaf

“Moving Forward Together”

Schedule

The Institute will begin at 2:00 pm on Monday and continue through noon Thursday. There will be an evening session on Monday. Participants who elect to stay in the cottages at TSD may check in on Monday between 10:00 am and 2:00 pm.

Curriculum

Small group sessions will cover the following topics:

Voice-to-Sign: Prosody & Non-Manual Information

Voice-to-Sign: Signing Space & Interpreter Performance

Sign-to-Voice: Reading/Conveying & Vocal/Intonational Features

Sign-to-Voice: Word Choice & Interpreter Performance

Vocabulary: Signs

Vocabulary: Fingerspelling

Student, Cognitive, & Language Development

Medical Aspects of Deafness & Technology Education & Literacy

Sign Systems & Tutoring

Interpreting & Linguistics

Professional Conduct

Roles & Responsibilities

Large group sessions will cover:

Mindfulness

Deaf Culture

Interpreting for Low Vision & Deaf-Blind

Reading with Deaf Children

Recreational Games for Deaf Students & Interpreters

Mentoring

There will be a catered dinner Monday night to allow for networking and socialization (included in the registration fee).

Transportation

Transportation costs will be the responsibility of the participants. (School systems are encouraged to reimburse the participants in accordance with State of Tennessee approved travel regulations.)

Housing

Participants may stay in the cottages at the Tennessee School for the Deaf. Persons will be assigned on a two-per-room basis (each room has 2 twin beds). Each bedroom has its own private bathroom. There will be no cost for this campus housing. Participants are free to make other arrangements for housing; any associated costs will be the responsibility of the participant.

Meals

Continental breakfasts and snacks will be provided each day at no cost to participants, as well as dinner on Monday evening. Lunches are the responsibility of the individual. An extended time period will be given each day to allow participants to go back to the cottage (participants may use the kitchens) or to go off-campus for lunch. There are numerous full-service and fast food restaurants within a few miles of TSD.

Linen

Each participant should bring his/her own linen (sheets, pillowcases, towels, blanket, etc.) Participants will have access to washers and dryers.

Dress

Casual dress is encouraged. Participants should bring a light jacket or sweater, since classes are held in air-conditioned rooms.

Accommodations

Individuals requesting accommodations should include the request in the registration and send to Angela Simmons (a.simmons@tsdeaf.org).

Registration and fees

Institute registration is limited due to space constraints. The completed registration form (including registration fee of \$75 for TN residents/\$100 for out-of-state residents) must be postmarked no later than **May 24, 2019**. Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis, with **priority given to Tennessee residents who are currently working interpreters**.

A registration fee of \$75.00 in-state/\$100.00 out-of-state is required. Please send a check or money order made payable to PTCA of TSD (Parent Teacher Counselor Association of the Tennessee School for the Deaf), with Summer Institute for Interpreters in the memo line. Please complete the registration form, email to a.simmons@tsdeaf.org, or mail it to the address below. Contact Angela Simmons for cancellation before May 24, 2019. Please mail all registration fees to the address below.

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