



## Job Announcement

**Position Title:** American Sign Language Instructors (contract, based in Boston or Lawrence)

**Available:** January 2018

DEAF, Inc.'s mission is to inspire people to achieve personal and professional goals through accessible programs and services. We build bridges across communities by increasing communication access and awareness. DEAF, Inc.'s ASL Education program helps expand the ASL community in Massachusetts by providing affordable community-based education on ASL and Deaf Culture to young adults and adults in a fun, interactive, and supportive setting. ASL Education helps increase awareness in the wider community of Deaf culture, ASL, and the wonderful variety of Deaf, DeafBlind, Hard of Hearing, and Late-Deafened people that make up our community. Our ASL Education program is vital to our agency as it supports the programs and services that impact over 1,500 members of the Deaf community every year.

Our evening classes are offered 4 times a year. Fall, winter, and spring classes run once per week for 10 weeks and summer classes run twice a week for 5 weeks. Each class consists of 20 hours of in-class learning. Class sizes range from 6-25 students.

DEAF, Inc. is looking for instructors who are passionate about ASL and Deaf culture to join our team. All instructors report to the Director of ASL Education and will receive administrative support from the agency.

**If you are a native or near-native ASL user and match the following criteria, submit your application today!**

- Experience teaching ASL with the Signing Naturally curriculum
- Knowledgeable about Deaf culture
- College degree and/or two years of teaching experience
- *ASLTA certification a plus*

**To Apply:** Send cover letter, updated resume, and 2 ASL work-related letters of reference to Ann Thompson, Human Resources/Administrative Coordinator, at [athompson@deafinonline.org](mailto:athompson@deafinonline.org).

Positions available until filled.

*DEAF, Inc. is an Affirmative Action Equal Opportunity employer. Deaf, DeafBlind, Hard of Hearing and Late-Deafened persons, women, veterans, minorities, and persons with disabilities are encouraged to apply.*