



PERKINS TRAINING CENTER

Saltonstall Sign Language Series - Fall, 2014 **Perkins Adult Sign Language Classes for the Community and Staff**

In collaboration with the Deafblind Program, the Fall 2014 Adult Sign Language Classes will begin September 22nd, 2014 and run for 10 weeks. Anyone age 16 or over may register.

Level One: Includes approximately 500 word vocabulary, introduction to fingerspelling, and development of basic sign language skills. It is a prerequisite for Level Two Class.

Level Two: Includes approximately an additional 500 word vocabulary, fluency & comfort with fingerspelling, numbers, expressive skills in communicating in sign and fingerspelling, and basic receptive comprehension skills using fingerspelling and sign language.

Level Three: Will focus on conversational sign language with an emphasis on both English and American Sign Language idiomatic structures. The class will also introduce up to 400 new vocabulary words/signs.

Classes are taught in Signed English and meet one session per week. Each class will be conducted by experienced Sign Language instructors and will be held at the Grousbeck Center for Students and Technology at Perkins in Watertown.

A minimum of 10 registrations are required for a class to be held.

There is a limit to 25 seats per class.

The Upcoming Sign Language Schedule will include:

Level One: Monday afternoon, 3:30pm-5:30pm, Derm Keohane – Room MPR2

Level One: Monday night, 6:30pm-8:30pm, Marion Myhre – Room MPR2

Level One: Tuesday morning, 10:00am-12:00pm, Derm Keohane – Room MPR2

Level One: Tuesday night, 6:30pm-8:30pm, Marion Myhre – Room MPR2

Level Two: Monday night, 6:30pm-8:30pm, Derm Keohane – Room Flex N108

Level Two: Wednesday morning, 10:00am-12:00pm, Derm Keohane – Room MPR2

Level Three: Thursday morning, 10:00am-12:00pm, Derm Keohane – Room MPR2

Registration is open until **September 17, 2014**

Level 1 must be completed before Level 2 or Level 3

Fees: Community Participants: **\$100.00 payable on or before the first class session**

Please make checks payable to Perkins School for the Blind.

Please Note: For inclement weather class cancellation call **617-972-7712** or **617-972-7375**. Classes cancelled due to weather or instructor illness will be made up by adding a class to the end of the course.

Classes missed by an individual cannot be made up by attending a different session on another day.
There will be no classes held on Columbus Day, October 13th or Thanksgiving, November 27th.

Registration Form

Name: _____ Daytime Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Sign up for **one** class:

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- Level One: Tuesday night, 6:30pm-8:30pm, Marion Myhre

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I completed a Level One course on: _____ (date)

Please check one:

- Perkins Staff (Program or Department) _____
- Volunteer _____
- Family of Perkins Student _____
- Vocational Placement Staff (Work Site) _____
- Community Member _____

Supervisor's Approval _____

To Register:

Please complete the form below and submit it via Mail, Email, Fax, or Drop Off to:

Perkins Training Center
Perkins School for the Blind
175 North Beacon Street, Watertown, MA 02472
Tel: 617-972-7712 • Fax: 617-972-7209
PerkinsTrainingCenter@perkins.org
Monday – Friday: 8:30am – 4:00pm