Speech-Language Pathology Essentials

Earn Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences Academic Credit in California’s Top Program

U.S. News and World Report ranked San Diego State University’s Speech, Language, and Hearing Sciences (SLHS) graduate program No. 1 in California and No. 24 in the nation.

To meet the demand for this renowned program, SDSU is now offering the online Speech-Language Pathology Essentials program.

Fall 2017 Session I (August 28–Oct. 22; Register by August 24)
- SLHS 300 Introduction to Language Science (3 units)
- SLHS 340 Principles of Audiology (3 units) – Prerequisite: Grade of C (2.0) or better in SLHS 305.

Fall 2017 Session II (Oct. 23–Dec. 16; Register by Oct. 19)
- SLHS 321 Anatomy and Physiology of Speech (4 units)

Spring 2018 Session I
- SLHS 305 Hearing Science (3 units)
- SLHS 320 Phonetics (3 units)

Spring 2018 Session II
- SLHS 512 Phonological Acquisition and Disorders (3 units) – Prerequisite: Grade of C (2.0) or better in SLHS 320.
- SLHS 513 Foundations of Speech-Language: Development (4 units) – Prerequisite: SLHS 300, 320 and 321.

Summer 2018
- SLHS 321 Anatomy and Physiology of Speech (4 units)
- SLHS 340 Principles of Audiology (3 units) – Prerequisite: Grade of C (2.0) or better in SLHS 305.
- SLHS 514 Foundations of Speech-Language: Differences and Disorders in Children (3 units) – Prerequisite: SLHS 513.

See the complete list of courses and descriptions on the reverse side.

Additional Online Courses Coming Soon
The courses are offered through SDSU’s College of Health and Human Services, in conjunction with SDSU’s College of Extended Studies.

The SLP Essentials program is open to individuals not currently enrolled in an SDSU degree program.

Fully Online Speech-Language Pathology Essentials Program Details
- Eight-week online courses
- Led by lecturers from SDSU’s SLHS department
- Geared toward working professionals
- Take only the courses you need, based on interest or graduate program prerequisites
- Non-cohort

For more information, visit neverstoplearning.net/SLP, email slp-online@mail.sdsu.edu, or call (619) 594-0243.
Speech-Language Pathology Essentials Courses

**SLHS 300 Introduction to Language Science (3 units)**
Structure, acquisition, processing, and neurological organization of language in typical and disordered communication.

**SLHS 305 Hearing Science (3 units)**
Concepts of hearing science. Components include physical acoustics, anatomy and physiology of auditory system, and psychoacoustics.

**SLHS 320 Phonetics (3 units)**
Principles of speech production and practical skills in discriminating and transcribing sounds of various dialects in English and other languages, as well as clinical populations. Competency in broad and narrow transcription, classification of speech sounds, and patterns of speech.

**SLHS 321 Anatomy and Physiology of Speech (4 units)**
Anatomy and physiology of respiratory, phonatory, and articulatory systems related to speech.

**SLHS 340 Principles of Audiology (3 units)**
Diagnostic audiology procedures: Pure-tone testing, masking, speech recognition testing and immittance. Integration and interpretation of results from the basic audiological test battery.
Prerequisite: Grade of C (2.0) or better in SLHS 305.

**SLHS 512 Phonological Acquisition and Disorders (3 units)**
Phonology, phonological development, and phonological disorders as they relate to basic linguistic theory. Concepts considered through critical thinking and problem-solving.
Prerequisite: Grade of C (2.0) or better in SLHS 320.

**SLHS 513 Foundations of Speech-Language: Development (4 units)**
Speech-language development as related to theories of language acquisition, development, and clinical practice in children from birth to school-age.
Prerequisite: SLHS 300, 320 and 321.

**SLHS 514 Foundations of Speech-Language: Differences and Disorders in Children (3 units)**
Speech and language disorders and issues related to assessment of and intervention with children from culturally and linguistically diverse populations.
Prerequisite: SLHS 513.

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