

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT GREENSBORO
INTEPRETER PREPARATION PROGRAM – Project CONNECT
Preparing Highly Qualified Educational Interpreters – Federal Award # CDFA 84.325K

Application Instructions for Student Stipend

For First Time Applicants:

You must complete the following for your application to be considered:

- A. Personal Statement – Write a personal statement that includes the following information:
- Your educational background
 - Your current GPA
 - Your recent or current involvement with children and/or individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing aside from course assignments
 - Why you are interested in becoming an educational interpreter
 - Your previous experience in interpreting, if any
 - Your goals for the future upon graduation
- B. References – Ask three individuals who are familiar with you and your dispositions, skills, and/or involvement in the field to write letters of recommendation. If you've been involved in ongoing volunteer work or paid position working with children and/or Deaf or Hard of Hearing individuals, please ask one of your supervisors to complete the **Project CONNECT Reference Form**.
- C. Degree Evaluation – printout of your current Degree Evaluation or college transcript.

For Students Reapplying:

You must complete the following for your application to be considered:

- A. Letter – on a separate sheet, write a letter that includes the following:
- Your continued interest in the program
 - Your current GPA
 - Your recent or current involvement with children and/or individuals who are deaf or hard of hearing aside from course assignments
 - Your goals for the future upon graduation
- B. References (optional) – You may want to update your references by asking individuals who are familiar with your developing skills and/or involvement in the field to write letters of recommendation. If you've been involved in ongoing volunteer work or paid position working with children and/or Deaf or Hard of Hearing individuals, please ask one of your supervisors to complete the **Project CONNECT Reference Form**.
- C. Degree Evaluation – printout of your current Degree Evaluation or college transcript.

DEADLINES

For Fall Semester – August 31

For Spring Semester – January, 31