

Lecture 9:

A look at teacher training programmes in the education of children with hearing impairment in Nigeria

Lesson objectives:

As a result of instruction, students will:

- Become aware of training programmes for special education students in Nigerian Universities
- Compare these with training programmes in deaf education in students' own countries
- describe shapes and objects in ASL

University of Jos programmes:

- special education and rehabilitative services
- Trains teachers in the field of deaf education, visually impaired education and learning disabilities
- Has a B.Ed programme which is 4 years
- Has a Diploma programme which is 2 years

University of Ibadan:

- Has degree programmes in deaf education; speech therapy; and audiology
- Students in deaf education must have a teaching subject, example: Special Education(H/I)/English
- 3 month internship for students before completion of programme

University of Calabar:

- General Special education + teaching subject
- Does not have specific area specialization like deaf education, visually impaired education, etc
- 3 month Internship for students, but in any school of choice: public or special schools

Federal College of Special Education, Oyo

- 3 year certificate programme in special education
- first and only special education college in sub-sahara Africa
- has programme in all areas of special needs
- deaf education students must have a teaching subject

Kaduna Polytechnic

- Offer 1 year certificate programme in special education
- 2 year Diploma in special education
- 2 year Higher diploma in special education
- 3 year NCE special education. Students must have a teaching subject (NCE in Nigeria is 3 years because students spend 2 semesters on internship)

Break:

7 minute short break

Practices in ASL: Classifiers for describing Objects

Lesson from video