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I would like to state my support for providing language interpreters for Deaf and hard of hearing students for state assessments. I believe that many people don't understand that ASL is not simply English spoken with the hands. It's truly a language separate from English, and students whose first language is ASL absolutely deserve the same rights as other students whose first language is not English.

Thank you for your consideration,
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