

Stern College for Women

Department/Program Name: Speech & Hearing Sciences

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Mission Statement

The mission of the Speech and Hearing Sciences Department is to prepare students for admission to advanced, graduate study in the fields of Speech Language Pathology and Audiology... by helping a student develop a knowledge of the underlying anatomy, physiology, physics and philosophies of the speech, hearing and language mechanisms, their development and impairment.

Department/Program Student Learning Goals & Objectives

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1. The student should understand the normal development of language.	a. students will be able to identify milestones of normal language development.
	b. students will be able to recognize variations from this template
	c. students will be able to categorize processes that contribute to the language system
2. The student should be able to evaluate basic language and hearing function	a. students will be able to measure hearing ability for pure tones
	b. students will be able to transcribe articulation errors using IPA
3. The student should know basic anatomy and physiology of the speech/voice hearing mechanisms	a. students will be able to identify the muscles mimetic function
	b. students will be able to identify the anatomical structures of the outer and middle ear
	c. students will be able to identify the

	musculature of respiration and phonation
4. The student should appreciate processes that impair these normal functions	a. students will be able to recognize causes of conductive hearing losses
	b. students will be able to analyze the language impairment resulting from injury to the brain
	c. students will be able to discriminate among causes of language delay