



Above: In 2014, Lucky starts his first day at school. He is placed in a mainstream setting and does not use an interpreter or assistive devices beyond his CI's. Left: In 2015, the state-supported school for the Deaf shuts down. Elsewhere, the devastating combo of shrinking state budgets and declining enrollments all conspire to shut down Deaf schools nationwide. Local school programs everywhere absorb the Deaf students and struggle in educating them. Model becomes a giant Deaf school of last resort.