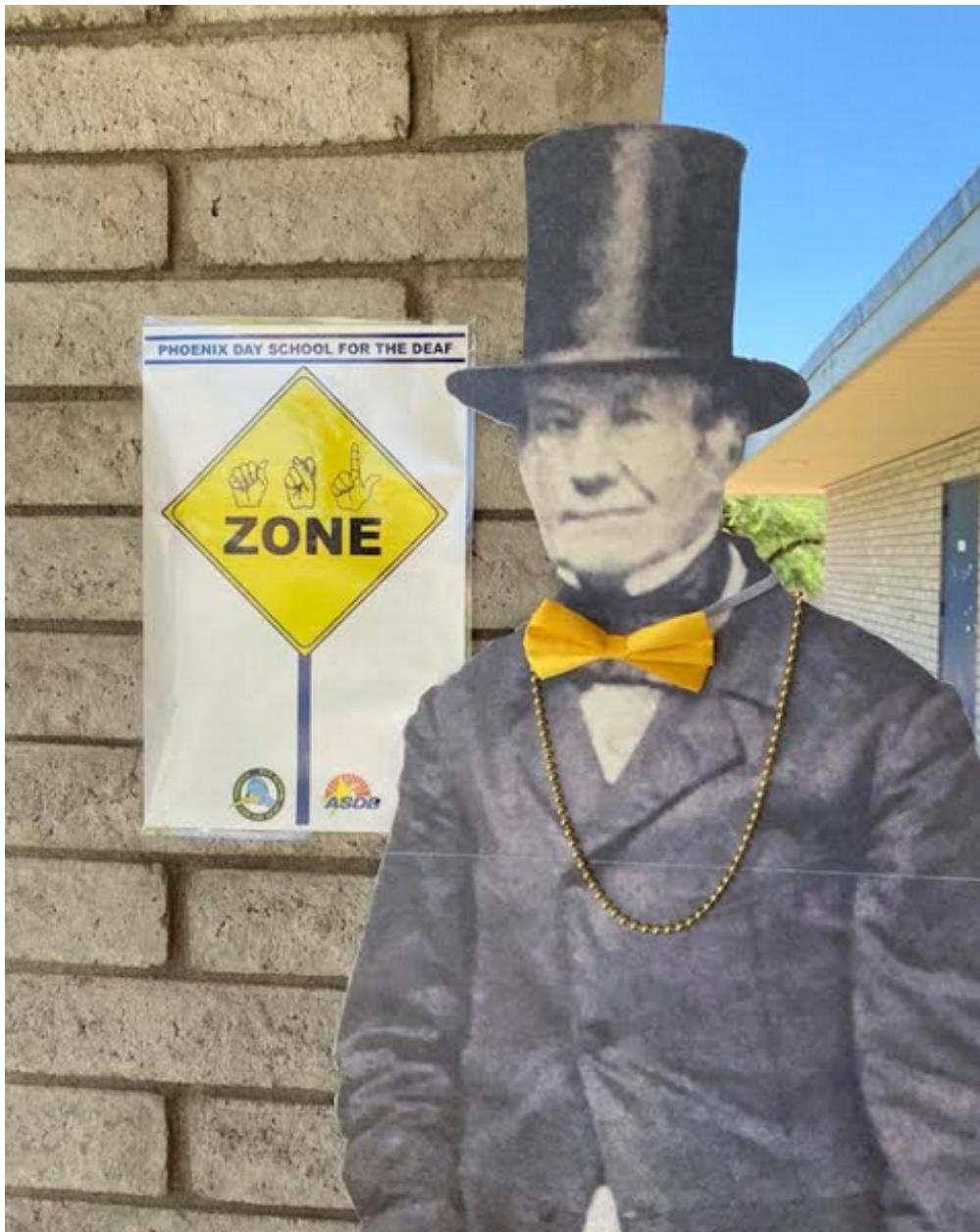


SOCIÉTÉ LAURENT CLERC

The Flat Laurent Challenge

FOR SCHOOLS



Introduction

The Flat Laurent Challenge is an attempt to raise the profile of Laurent Clerc. Using “Flat Laurents” to get Laurent Clerc a national recognition stamp. Any media content created will be included in our application to the United States Postal Service Commemorative Stamp Committee.

Schools for the deaf, benefit society by producing more productive and contributing deaf adults. Schools provide quality education and foster Deaf culture, heritage, and language. Flat Laurent can be a tool in promoting Deaf history and highlight an important role model for students today.

Thank you for inquiring about our Flat Laurent Challenge and for considering our project.

Our method:

- Send a Flat Laurent to as many places and people (“Hosts”) as possible within the Deaf or hearing communities.
- Give the “Hosts” the opportunity to use the Flat Laurent for whatever cultural and educational activities of their choice.
- With the hope that the “Hosts” will be able to educate others about Laurent Clerc and his unique contribution to the education and culture of the Deaf in America.

A secondary goal:

- Is to generate materials (photos, written or art work) that may be used for our eventual stamp application.
- It is hoped that “Hosts” would consider collecting “Selfies of Support” (SOS) during their events.
- These SOS photos would be transferred to us for inclusion in our application process. Instructions are included at the end of this agreement.

If you have further questions, please contact the administrator, Laurent Clerc Holt, at [1-438-405-0453](tel:1-438-405-0453) or email me at thelaurentclercstampproject@gmail.com.

Mobile Flat Laurent Visit

We have an easy mobile “hosting” option for you. Here are some of the quick facts about “hosting”.

- A Flat Laurent is mailed to you with no charge from a previous “host”.
- He can stay with you for up to approximately 2+ months.
- Your only cost is to mail him to his next destination and “host”.

Purchasing A Flat Laurent

Some people prefer to purchase their own Flat Laurent versus “hosting”. We have a discounted Flat Laurent available from the printer. Contact me using the information below and I will send you purchase instructions. I can assist you with the purchase if necessary.

LAURENT CLERC STAMP ART/HISTORY PROJECT FOR SCHOOLS

Consider becoming involved in our art/history/stamp school project.

Contact:

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Creative Ways to send SOS or Media Content to the Laurent Clerc Stamp Project

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EMAIL



THE LAURENT CLERC STAMP PROJECT

The Selfie of Support (SOS)

The American Sign Language that Laurent Clerc and his students began to develop in 1817 is a beautiful visual language.

Seeking innovative ways to represent our support for a *Laurent Clerc Stamp* and catch the eye of the The Citizens' Stamp Advisory Committee we have developed the *Selfie of Support (SOS)*.

Please consider lending your SOS to our growing stamp campaign!

1. Take a selfie of yourself making Laurent Clerc's name sign.
2. Send the photo to thelaurentclercstampproject@gmail.com or you can post it on the *Laurent Clerc Who?* Facebook Group:
 <https://bit.ly/3ImnWHD>
3. We will add the text, store it for our future application and we will send you a copy!
4. Tell your family and friends to send a SOS, too!

Thank you!

