

NVQ Level 6 Certificate in British Sign Language

What will the course involve?

The next step is to understand the complex and advanced level of communicating with Deaf people in British Sign Language.

This course is taught in two parts. The first part (which will not be awarded an accredited qualification), involves acquiring the knowledge and skills to a standard where you are proficient in the target language and part two requires you to build and submit a portfolio of evidence which will be accredited by Signature.

What we will cover

Part 1:

Building language development from Level 3 to 6

Developing, understanding and using BSL Linguistics

Understanding a complex range of work and social vocabulary

Developing your debating skills including arguments and opinions about Deaf issues

Researching subjects in depth about Deaf people and Deaf issues

Certain complex vocabulary and jargon including legal, educational and medical

Practicing complex presentation skills and conversational skills

Part 2 (This will involve attending a two day Portfolio Evidence Workshop and a number of tutorials):

Support with detailed and complex feedback from tutors

Free access to Sign club

Access to information and advice on current and future work opportunities

Assessments

Portfolio collection of evidence in video and other formats.

How will Femaura teach the course and am I required to complete homework?

We will use a number of teaching methods such as filmed and assessed tasks, group activities, presentations, demonstrations and a variety of exercises.

All resources are provided so you don't need to bring anything with you. Homework will be given and you will receive feedback on both class work and homework in BSL.

What will I achieve at the end of the course?

You will be able to use a multitude of professional and social vocabulary at advanced level and give a complex professional presentation about Deaf related topics. You will use a variety of BSL grammatical structures and express your thoughts and opinions in a debate situation.

Will I be able to enroll on the course straight away?

You will be required to book an interview with Femaura so we can ensure that you are already proficiently communicating at BSL Level 3 standard.

Can I get extra support during the course?

Femaura will provide information and signpost you to other services including further opportunities for education and work, book and video references, deaf and disability support, dyslexia support, counseling, or any support you require during the course. We deliver English and Maths OCR qualifications if you would like to improve your skills in literacy and numeracy.

Can I do other Femaura courses alongside this course?

We recommend you undertake our Deaf Way courses as this will give you underpinning knowledge of the Deaf world, which will subsequently help with your ability to understand and learn the language.

What next?

At the end of the course, you will have the opportunity to discuss the next steps available to you with your tutor and complete an evaluation form.

Further progression

You can think about training as a fully qualified interpreter or attending our International Sign Language course.

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