

## **British Sign Language Level 1**

### **What will the course involve?**

You will be taught a range of vocabulary covering a variety of areas such as work, home and leisure.

### **What we will cover**

Essential vocabulary at beginners' level covering:

Greetings and how to approach a Deaf person  
People, animals and objects  
Transport, getting around and directions  
Hobbies and interests  
Work and education  
And much more.....

### **Assessments**

You are required to undertake four assessments; two for productive, one for receptive and one dialogue. If you are unsuccessful for any of the assessments, you can retake them.

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

You will be taught through a number of activities such as group activities and demonstrations. 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 (productive), understand (receptive) and express (dialogue) words in British Sign Language. Additionally, you will be able to give and advise a simple instruction.

### **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 one?**

We recommend you undertake our one-day Deaf Way Level 1 course 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 apply for a place on our British Sign Language Level 2 course.