

A309CSU - INTRODUCTION TO BRITISH SIGN LANGUAGE SKILLS

MODULE SUMMARY

This module provides an introduction to the basics of British Sign Language, giving course participants the opportunity to learn both practical communication skills and the theory behind them.

Workshop sessions will be predominantly based on the active learning of British Sign Language with course participants building their knowledge on a weekly basis. Course participants will also learn about the theory behind the development of sign language and will consider the different technologies used by those who are deaf or have hearing impairments.

This module will be of particular interest to students who want to develop skills in British Sign Language, enabling them to communicate on a basic level to those who are deaf or have a hearing impairment. It will also develop transferable skills in interpersonal skills; effective communication skills and adaptability.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

None.

ASSESSMENT

Sign Language Practice (50%): a practical demonstration of 'signing' through the communication with and observation by the course tutor.

Reflective Essay (50%): an essay reflecting on theories of the development of sign language and the development of the employability skills by the course participant.

SKILL BUILDER

Leadership, communication & organisation.

EXCLUDED COMBINATIONS

Modules: A109CSU / A209CSU.

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TESTIMONY

This module helps to spread awareness of deaf culture, the lessons are interactive and fun, The module content is stimulating and clearly expressed and taught very clearly. There's a positive atmosphere, and a passionate teacher that provides valuable experience and is supportive towards our learning.

