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Campus: Rotherham College
Code: R28AC35
Type: Part Time

This course introduces learners to the fundamentals of British Sign Language (BSL), enabling them to communicate effectively with deaf people in everyday situations.

Students will develop practical signing skills, gain an understanding of deaf culture, and learn the basic grammar and structure of BSL.

About This Course

Master the manual alphabet (two-handed for BSL, one-handed for ASL) to spell names, places, and unfamiliar words.

Sign cardinal and ordinal numbers for telling time, counting, dates, and money.

Build a foundational lexicon of high-frequency daily signs (greetings, family, emotions, hobbies, weather, food, and directions).

Tuition Fees

Those aged 19 or over may not need to pay fees depending on their circumstances. Find out if you qualify for help with your fees [https://www.rotherham.ac.uk/course-fees/] .

If you need further advice or guidance please contact the Enquiries Team on **01709 362111.**

Additional Information

This course will be available at various venues across the borough.

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