PSP51018 Diploma of Auslan

About this course

Build on your Auslan skills to open up employment opportunities

This diploma will provide you with the skills to use Auslan in a range of specialised, complex and technical workplace exchanges across personal, learning, employment, social and community contexts. You will be able to gain employment in a role requiring knowledge of Auslan and use your skills in a wide range of contexts.

This diploma builds on the Certificate IV and provides a greater opportunity for employment in a role requiring Auslan comprehension.

Gain these skills

- Auslan for employment, learning, personal and social and community purposes
- Learn to analyse the semantics and sociolinguistics of Auslan

Is this course right for me?

I have the following attributes:

- Language-learning aptitude
- High level of memory retention, concentration, accuracy and objectivity
- Flexibility, adaptability, understanding and acceptance
- Able to liaise with people from a range of backgrounds
- Broad general knowledge, including current affairs
Details

During your course of study, NMTAFE may use a variety of learning practices to ensure you get the best outcome for your learning journey. This may include online learning, face-to-face classroom, laboratory/workshop delivery, work placement or a combination of these, depending on which is most appropriate.

Semester 1, 2020

Perth (Northbridge) - On Campus

📅 Duration: 1 Semester/s
📅 When: Semester 1, 2020
📚 How: On campus

Units

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PSPLAN008 | Compare the structure of sentences in Auslan and English
PSPLAN012 | Converse in Auslan at a proficient user level
PSPLAN013 | Analyse the semantics and sociolinguistics of Auslan

**Elective**

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PSPLAN010 | Communicate with Deafblind people
PSPLAN014 | Convey information between Auslan and English
PSPLAN015 | Research the role of an Auslan interpreter

**Entrance requirements**

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**Further study**

North Metropolitan TAFE offers you a range of further study opportunities, see below for a list of related courses.

**Job opportunities**

Social Professional | Interpreter

This course provides you with the knowledge and skills in Auslan that may lead to employment in a range of deaf-related vocations, such as:

- Auslan-English Interpreter
Freelance Practitioner (Interpreter)
Interpreting Service Provider (Agencies)
Paraprofessional Interpreter
Social and Community Work
Deaf Learning

Please note this list should be used as a guide only as job titles and qualification requirements may vary between organisations.

Important information

Many employers and service providers will expect Auslan-English Interpreter practitioners to have a NAATI Certification (Certified Provisional Interpreter - Diploma level or higher) – it is difficult to get translating and interpreting work without it. Certification details available from www.naati.com.au/certification/certification

Fees and charges

Local full time students

Course fees are made up of two components, tuition fees and resource fees.

**Tuition fees** are determined by multiplying the course fee rate by the nominal hours, which is the number of hours in which an average student could be expected to complete each unit. They are not the hours of training or instruction.

**Resource fees** are charges for material that are essential to a course or unit, and are purchased by NMT to be used by students during the course.

Fees may vary depending on the units you are enrolled in so an approximate amount has been shown. You will be given the exact amount of your fees at enrolment. Part time student fees will vary depending on the number of units you are enrolled in.

Please note, you may also need to buy textbooks or equipment for your course.

International Students

Check TAFE International WA to confirm this course is available to international students. You will pay your tuition fees to TIWA.

Please note, fees are subject to change.