



Diploma of Auslan

State ID: BDQ9

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

Semester 1, 2020

Perth (Northbridge) - On Campus



Duration: **12 Months**



When: **Semester 1, 2020**



How: **On campus**

Units

Core

National ID	Unit Title
PSPLAN001	Converse in Auslan at a basic user level
PSPLAN002	Compare the fundamental differences between Auslan and English structure
PSPLAN003	Source information on Deaf culture, and communicate according to Deaf protocol
PSPLAN004	Converse in Auslan at an independent user level (familiar subjects)
PSPLAN005	Analyse the structure of Auslan signs
PSPLAN006	Research the development of educational and social conditions for Australian Deaf communities
PSPLAN007	Converse in Auslan at an independent user level (abstract and concrete notions)
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

National ID	Unit Title
PSPLAN010	Communicate with Deafblind people
PSPLAN014	Convey information between Auslan and English
PSPLAN015	Research the role of an Auslan interpreter

Entrance requirements

School Leaver	Non-School Leaver	AQF
Completion of WACE General or ATAR (Minimum C Grades) or equivalent	Completion of WACE General or ATAR or equivalent (minimum C Grades)	Certificate III

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

View our [Indicative Fees list](#)

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.



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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.



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