

# Unit Specification

**BSL201 – British Sign Language  
Receptive Skills**

J/600/0210

**Sept 2017 – Aug 2018**

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## Unit BSL201 – BSL Receptive Skills

(RQF Unit Number: J/600/0210)

### Unit summary

To achieve this unit, learners must show they can understand routine language in everyday situations.

Learners can understand specific details from, and the general meaning of, a range of information presented in sign language. They can understand standard signing, delivered at normal speed, with facial expressions, body language, etc.

| Guided learning hours (GLH) | Additional study hours | Total learning time | Credit value at Level 2 |
|-----------------------------|------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|
| 30                          | 20                     | 50                  | 5                       |

| Learning outcomes  | Assessment criteria   |
|--|---|
| At the end of this unit of learning, the successful learner will:                        | At the end of this unit of learning, the successful learner/candidate can:  |
| 1. Be able to understand signed communication in a range of familiar everyday situations | 1.1 Follow and recognise everyday signed statements, explanations or descriptions delivered clearly and at normal speed, on a range of everyday topics:<br>a. people, things<br>b. actions, behaviours, feelings<br>c. experiences<br>d. events, activities<br>e. daily social, work or school routines |

| <b>Learning outcomes</b><br>At the end of this unit of learning, the successful learner will: | <b>Assessment criteria</b><br>At the end of this unit of learning, the successful learner/candidate can:  |
|---|---|
| 2. Be able to understand key grammatical features of everyday situations                      | 2.1 Recognise: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. question forms</li> <li>b. question tags</li> <li>c. negation</li> <li>d. affirmation</li> </ul> |
| 3. Be able to understand questions related to a range of familiar everyday situations         | 3.1 Understand and answer questions or enquiries correctly  |

See glossary of terms for further explanation of assessment criteria.

# ASSESSMENT SPECIFICATION

**Please read this specification and Signature Assessment Regulations on our website.**

Candidates will be assessed on their understanding of a story presented in BSL on a DVD.

**Learners should have some knowledge of regional variation in sign language, as the presenter on the DVD may not use the candidate's local signs.**

The candidate will watch a DVD based on Theme 1 only, and will answer 12 questions with a choice of answers. The candidate will record their answers by ticking one box for each question on the assessment paper provided.

The DVD **must not be stopped at any time** during the assessment and it **must not be repeated**.

**The pass mark for the assessment is 75%, i.e. 9/12.**

# GUIDELINES

The story will be in four sections. There will be three questions after each section.

### Order of signing on DVD:

The whole story will be played (sections 1-4).

Section 1 will be played again and then three questions asked.

Section 2 will then be played again and then three questions asked.

Section 3 will then be played again and then three questions asked.

Section 4 will then be played again and then three questions asked.

The questions will be repeated twice in each section and there will be a timed pause on the DVD for candidates to tick their answer (A B C or D).

### Notes

- The invigilator will be responsible for operating the DVD.
- The running time of the DVD will be approximately 15-25 minutes.
- The DVD must not be paused or repeated at any point during the assessment.
- The DVD **must** be returned to Signature with the assessment papers.

# CANDIDATE ASSESSMENT PAPER

Candidate name: ..... Candidate ID No: .....

Date of Assessment: ..... Assessment ID: ..... DVD No: .....

## Section 1

- Question 1      A.       B.       C.       D.
- Question 2      A.       B.       C.       D.
- Question 3      A.       B.       C.       D.

## Section 2

- Question 1      A.       B.       C.       D.
- Question 2      A.       B.       C.       D.
- Question 3      A.       B.       C.       D.

## Section 3

- Question 1      A.       B.       C.       D.
- Question 2      A.       B.       C.       D.
- Question 3      A.       B.       C.       D.

## Section 4

- Question 1      A.       B.       C.       D.
- Question 2      A.       B.       C.       D.
- Question 3      A.       B.       C.       D.



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