

LSF COURSE – BEGINNER

LEVEL

CEFR Level A1



30 sessions of
1.5 hours per
year

Prerequisites: Desire to learn through visual and gestural communication
Accept the image you project and know how to use it
Accepting work in front of the camera as a tool for archiving, self-correction, and collective correction

General objectives:

- Discover a sign language based on 'everything visual'
- Promote communication between deaf and hearing people
- Develop cultural accessibility
- Acquire vocabulary that enables conversations about everyday life

Educational objectives:

- Learn to 'close your ears' and 'open your eyes' and become aware of your body as a tool for communication.
- Acquire basic everyday vocabulary enabling communication with deaf people
- Learning the 5 parameters of LSF, grammar and syntax specific to sign languages
- Discover the cultural, historical and linguistic characteristics of the deaf community.

Teaching methods:

- Alternating between class time and discussion time
- Role-playing exercises
- Practical dialogue exercises in Sign Language
- Depending on the equipment available: working with the camera, recording productions and direct reinvestment in the course
- All lessons and exercises will be conducted entirely in Sign Language

Teaching materials:

- Historical and cultural presentation of French Sign Language
- Starting a conversation : greetings and polite phrases
- Fingerspelling (LSF alphabet)
- Numbers
- Know how to introduce yourself: surname, first name, sign name, age, profession
- Spatial and temporal reference points : the week, months, years, yesterday, today, tomorrow
- Putting what you have learned into practice : interaction and dialogue exercises
- Group reviews of filmed productions
- Exercises on paper and via video projection : checks and corrections following learning that has been acquired or is in the process of being acquired
- Dialogue exercises related to the vocabulary learned
- Film screenings on the theme of sign language and the deaf community

Level assessment:

The four skills (CO, EO, CE, EE) will be assessed.