Creating a world class school for the deaf – Innovations in audiology

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“In a recent study children who had both sign and spoken language in school were shown to have better social cognitive skills than their oral only peers.”

“The United Nations Convention of the Rights of Persons with Disabilities mentions among other things ....

...recognition of sign languages, recognition and respect for Deaf culture and identity, the promotion of bilingual education in sign languages and the national languages as well as accessibility to all areas of society and life.”

Guest speakers

- **The Future of Audiology within Education Hearing Services**
  David Couch, Head of Service for Children with Sensory Needs (SCSN), East Sussex

- **Developing Inclusive Audiological Practices**
  Peter Watkins, Consultant Audiological Physician, Whipps Cross Hospital, London

- **Users’ perspectives: Views from young Cochlear Implant users**
  Jackie Salter, Education Co-ordinator, The Ear Foundation
Thank you