

# Creating a BSL Curriculum for Primary and Secondary Schools

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Frank Barnes School for Deaf Children

4<sup>th</sup> Meeting

- Brief Update re: Scotland's Progress;
- Recap previous BSL Curriculum Design Meeting.

Today:

- Review learning objectives/outcomes.
  - Agree on format to use.
  - Decide on our explanation for the EYFS Curriculum.
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- A Few Things – To Tie Up!

# BSL Awards in Scotland – Brief Update

- Last meeting took place in June 2018 with the completion of National 3 & 4 Awards curriculum.
- Expected to roll-out the N3 & N4 curriculum in Autumn 2018.
- Roadshow across Scotland may take place in Autumn to inform the community of the curriculum.
- Aiming for the completion of National 5 & 6 Awards in 2019.

# Recap previous BSL Curriculum Design Meeting

- EYFS Structure & Learning Outcomes.
  - ✓ Outcomes for Nursery.
  - ✓ Outcomes for Reception.
- BSL to be taught following topics in EYFS.

# Review & Format: Group Discussion

1. What format / template should we use / follow?

What are we happy with?

2. Review Nursery & Reception Learning Outcomes: make amendments.

# Group Discussion

## Teachers' Guidance to using the Curriculum:

- BSL (What is BSL?)
- Purpose of Study (Why learn BSL?)
- Aims
- Productive Skills (Explanation)
- Receptive Skills (Explanation)
- BSL Curriculum in Schools (When/how guidance?)
- Word List (List of expected vocabulary)
- Glossary (Should we have a glossary e.g. terminology used in Nursery & Reception?)

# A few things!

- Information Dissemination via Social Media & Word of Mouth
- Correspondence
- Groupings
- Logos
- Next Steps
- Dates

# Groupings

Name	Role	Organisation	Primary	Secondary	Both	Information only
Catherine Drew	Leader of Bilingual Practice	Frank Barnes School			✓	✓
Marios Costi	BSL Teacher	Frank Barnes School			✓	✓
Lisa Smith	Deaf Instructor	Frank Barnes School			✓	✓
Mischa Cooke	HLTA/Deaf Instructor	Frank Barnes School			✓	✓
David Page	Deaf Instructor	Bentley West Primary School	✓			✓
Jane Miervyn	BSL Teacher	Blanche Nevile Secondary School		✓		✓
Barbara Flintham	Deaf Instructor	Summerside Primary School			✓	✓
Paul Newbury	Lead BSL Tutor	St Clere's School			✓	✓
Tina Dhunday	Deaf Instructor	Royal Greenwich Sensory Service			✓	✓
Sarah Brinsden	TOD (Primary)	Heathlands School	✓			✓
Teresa Best		Best School of Linguistics			✓	✓
Tina Kemp	Deaf Instructor	Brimsdown Primary Highland Secondary			✓	✓
Abbygail Field	TOD	James Wolfe Primary School	✓			✓
Alission Rogers		Hamilton Lodge School			✓	✓
Dominic Caswell	TOD and BSL Tutor	HAST, Outsourced from Council	✓			✓



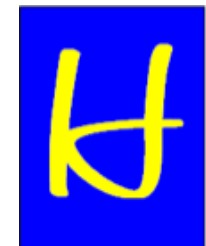
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Judy Lamprecht	Therapy Head	Oak Lodge School			✓	✓
Elizabeth Thomas-Morton	BSL teacher	BSL Training Academy under Communication Plus	✓			✓
Levent Marasli	BSL leader	Oak Lodge School			✓	✓
Nikki James					✓	✓
Ruth Waddams		Oak Lodge School		✓		✓
Sam Caiels	Senior Deaf Instructor	Hamilton Lodge School		✓		✓
Wayne Barrow					✓	✓
Ann Moran			✓			✓
Helen Pine					✓	✓
Helen Maiden					✓	✓
Kimberley Wright					✓	✓
Dani Sive	Headteacher	Frank Barnes School	✓			✓
Karen Riley	Previous Headteacher					✓
Kate Rowley		DCAL			✓	✓

# Logos

1. Frank Barnes School for Deaf Children
2. Oak Lodge School
3. Heathlands School
4. Summerside School
5. Best School of Linguistics
6. Hamilton Lodge School
7. Bentley West Primary
8. BSL Training Academy
9. James Wolfe School
10. Brimsdown Primary School
11. Royal Greenwich Sensory Service
12. St Clere's School
13. Blanche Nevile School
14. Harlington Area School Trust
15. DCAL



Brimsdown  
Primary School  
Enfield



# Next Steps...

- Start the Year 1 & 2 Curriculum Design Process – September 2018
- Full BSL Curriculum Design Group to touch base– December 2018
- External Speakers – December 2018
- Continue the Year 1 & 2 Curriculum Design Process – February 2019

# Dates

- Dates for the new academic year 2018-2019
- 21<sup>st</sup> September 2018
- 7<sup>th</sup> December 2018
- February 2019
- April 2019
- June 2019

# Links

- Frank Barnes Website [www.fbarnes.camden.sch.uk](http://www.fbarnes.camden.sch.uk) or follow via Facebook on the Frank Barnes page/posts re: Our BSL Curriculum Meeting Updates.
- SeeHear Programme on SQA BSL Qualification:  
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b0b9ddh0/see-hear-series-38-4-bsl-gcse>
- YouTube re Short Comment on SQA BSL Qualification:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2QD6vmul-pU>