

# Creating a BSL Curriculum for Primary and Secondary Schools

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2023 Frank Barnes School for Deaf Children

16<sup>th</sup> Meeting

★ Updates from the BSL Community



★ Review 'Pupils Should be Taught to...' KS3 progression

★ Review EYFS to KS2 BSL Curriculum & Progression

★ Review & Finalise Year 7, 8, 9 Learning Outcomes

★ Discuss Year 10 and 11 - if time.

**★** Next Meeting Date

# Updates from the BSL Community



★ BSL GCSE in Wales – 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2023

**★** BSL Curriculum Illustrations

★ Q&A with Dr Patrick Rosenburg

## Pupils should be taught to...



- ★ For each Year group, we have a section at the bottom which gives generalised learning outcomes which states what pupils should be taught to do.
- ★ Year 7, 8 and 9 outcomes have been placed on a table for us to review across the board.
- ★ We need to ensure progression is shown clearly and appropriately for these age groups.
- ★ Group 1 & Group 2 review and amend on laptops once completed, save the document.

| Year 7  | Year 8   | Year 9  |
|---|--|---|
| watch a variety of BSL videos.  | watch BSL videos by fluent signers and with some understanding.  | watch BSL videos by fluent signers and with good understanding.   |
|   | watch a variety of BSL videos for pleasure and information.  | develop the habit of watching a variety of BSL videos and often, for both pleasure and information.   |
| acquire a wide vocabulary.  | acquire a wide vocabulary, an understanding of grammar for BSL productive and receptive skills.  | acquire a wide vocabulary, an understanding of grammar and knowledge of linguistic conventions for BSL productive and receptive skills.                                     |
| appreciate our rich and varied heritage.  | appreciate our rich and varied heritage.   | appreciate our rich and varied heritage.  |
| produce narratives coherently, adapting their language and style in and for a range of contexts, purposes and audiences.  | produce narratives clearly, adapting their language and style in and for a range of contexts, purposes and audiences.  | produce narratives clearly, accurately and coherently, adapting their language and style in and for a range of contexts, purposes and audiences.                            |
| use discussion in order to learn; they should be able to explain their understanding and ideas.   | use discussion in order to learn; they should be able to explain clearly their understanding and ideas.  | use discussion in order to learn; they should be able to elaborate and explain clearly their understanding and ideas.   |
| develop confidence in BSL, making formal presentations, demonstrating to others and participating in debate.  | be competent in BSL, making formal presentations, demonstrating to others and participating in debate.   | be secure in their mastery of BSL, making formal presentations, demonstrating to others and participating in debate.  |
| produce BSL narrations coherently so that they can communicate their ideas and emotions with others and through conversations and watching, others can communicate with them. | produce BSL narrations clearly so that they can communicate their ideas and emotions with others and through conversations and watching, others can communicate with them. | produce BSL narrations fluently so that they can communicate their ideas and emotions with others and through conversations and watching, others can communicate with them. |
| appreciate a variety of BSL narratives which enables them to acquire knowledge and to build on what they already know.  | appreciate a variety of BSL narratives which enables them to acquire knowledge and to build on what they already know.   | appreciate a variety of BSL narratives which enables them to acquire knowledge and to build on what they already know.  |
| enjoy BSL stories and poems to develop culturally, emotionally, intellectually and socially.  | enjoy BSL stories and poems to develop culturally, emotionally, intellectually and socially.   | enjoy BSL stories and poems to develop culturally, emotionally, intellectually and socially.  |

## Group Discussion – Review



★ Primary BSL Curriculum:

In our groups, have a look over the EYFS to KS2 curriculum:

★ EYFS = Nursery & Reception

★ KS1 = Year 1 & Year 2

★ KS2 = Year 3, Year 4, Year 5 & Year 6

#### Year 7, 8 and 9 BSL Curriculum

- ★ Year 7 Understanding Language: Receptive Skills
- ★ Year 7 Using Language: Productive Skills

- ★ Year 8 Understanding Language: Receptive Skills
- ★ Year 8 Using Language: Productive Skills

- ★ Year 9 Understanding Language: Receptive Skills
- ★ Year 9 Using Language: Productive Skills





Group 1

Group 2

Year 7

Year 7

★ Receptive Skills

**★**Productive Skills

After half an hour, we will swap over.



Group 1

Group 2

Year 8

Year 8

★ Receptive Skills

**★**Productive Skills

After half an hour, we will swap over.



Group 1

Group 2

Year 9

Year 9

★ Receptive Skills

**★**Productive Skills

After half an hour, we will swap over.

## Meeting Dates for 2022-2023

British sign Language

- ★ Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2022
- ★ Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> December 2022
- ★ Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> January 2023
- ★ Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> May 2023
- ★ Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2023

Next Meeting: 9.30am to 12pm or 9.30am to 3pm?