What will I study?

This will comprise of 3 units:

Understanding Language and Linguistics

Outcome 1 understand straight forward information expressed in BSL

Outcome 2 understand straight forward aspects of BSL linguistics

Using Language in Context

Outcome 1 hold a straight forward conversation in BSL

Outcome 2 express information in a straight forward monologue using BSL

History and the Deaf Community

Outcome 1 demonstrate knowledge and understanding of the history of BSL Outcome 2 describe the significant characteristics of the Deaf community

What skills will I develop?

- Communication skills using British Sign Language and spoken English
- Working with others, either in pairs or as a team

How will I be assessed?

Variety of assessments including signed conversations, signed presentations, following signed instructions, demonstrating understanding of signed presentations and written assessments. Signed conversations and presentations are required to be filmed.

What help will BSL & Deaf Studies be after school?

This is a useful qualification to hold if your intention is to work with members of the public in any job.

These units are recognised by all employers who have to comply with The Equality Act.

Possible Careers Speech and language therapist Sign Language Interpreter Social Work Deaf Any job where you meet the public!

Need more info? -

<u>Nationals in a Nutshell</u> or speak to staff in Highland Deaf Education Service