



**Australian Government**

# **PSP40818 Certificate IV in Auslan**

**Release 1**

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### Modification History

Not applicable.

### Qualification Description

This qualification provides signing skills to communicate in Auslan with a degree of fluency and spontaneity across a wide range of subjects. Communication may take place in any situation including personal, public, social, employment and educational domains.

This qualification aligns to an adaptation, for sign languages, of the Common European Framework of Reference for Languages (CEFR), B2: Independent User.

This is an Auslan signer who can:

- understand the main ideas of complex text on both concrete and abstract topics, including technical discussions in his or her field of specialisation
- interact with a degree of fluency and spontaneity that makes regular interaction with native/proficient signers quite possible without strain for either party
- produce clear, detailed text on a wide range of subjects and explain a viewpoint on a topical issue giving the advantages and disadvantages of various options.

The volume of learning for a Certificate IV is typically 1 to 2 years.

No occupational licensing, certification or specific legislative requirements apply to this qualification at the time of publication.

### Entry Requirements

There are no entry requirements for this qualification.

### Packaging Rules

9 units must be completed:

- 8 core units
- 1 elective unit from the list below

The selection of the elective must be guided by the community or job outcome sought.

Core units

PSPLAN001 Converse in Auslan at a basic user level

PSPLAN002 Compare the fundamental differences between Auslan and English structure

- PSPLAN003 Source information on Deaf culture, and communicate according to Deaf protocol
- PSPLAN004 Converse in Auslan at an independent user level (familiar subjects)
- PSPLAN005 Analyse the structure of Auslan signs
- PSPLAN006 Research the development of educational and social conditions for Australian Deaf communities
- PSPLAN007 Converse in Auslan at an independent user level (abstract and concrete notions)
- PSPLAN008 Compare the structure of sentences in Auslan and English

### **Elective units**

- PSPLAN009 Compare other sign languages to Auslan
- PSPLAN010 Communicate with Deafblind people
- PSPLAN011 Take notes for Deaf, hard of hearing and Deafblind people

## **Qualification Mapping Information**

No equivalent qualification

## **Links**

Companion Volume Implementation Guide -  
<https://vetnet.education.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=bebbece7-ff48-4d2c-8876-405679019623>