



Become a Deaf Friendly Organisation

Australian Association of the Deaf (AAD) provides a range of courses and workshops to help you and your organisation become “Deaf friendly”. This means that when Deaf people contact or visit your organisation or business you and your staff will feel confident about interacting with them, and Deaf people will have a positive experience; they may even recommend you and your organisation or business to their friends, hence increasing your customer base.

All “Become a Deaf Friendly Organisation” programs are informative and practical and can be tailored to:

- meet the needs of your organisation;
- give insight into the lives and needs of deaf people;
- improve communication with deaf people; and
- facilitate better access to information and services for deaf people.

All programs are currently available only in SE Queensland. Fees quoted are for the Brisbane City Council area. Contact AAD for fees for classes outside the Brisbane City Council area, as these include additional travel costs. All teachers and presenters are Deaf people. For some programs an Auslan/English interpreter accompanies the teacher/presenter.

Program	Objective	Content	Fees (incl GST)
Deaf Awareness Information Dates by arrangement	To become aware of the individual differences that exist amongst deaf people, the factors determining these differences, and how to respond effectively to these differences.	Topics include: Deafness from a Cultural Perspective; What is Deaf Culture; Communication; and Communication technologies.	\$220 flat fee + \$5.00 per person for 2 hours program. Programs can also be longer or shorter. Contact us to discuss your needs and fees.
Deaf Awareness Information for Schools Dates by arrangement	To introduce children to deafness and a Deaf person in a positive and interactive way.	What is Deaf Culture; Communication; Games.	\$5.00 per child + \$50 interpreting fee for 1 hour program.
Deaf Studies: history. Weekend course – 24th and 25th March 2006 at UHL Hall Wesley Mission 930 Gympie Road Chermiside	To develop an understanding of Deaf history in Australia and its influence on the present day Deaf community.	People and events that shaped the Deaf community. Includes learning through activities.	\$100 per person for AAD members for two days workshop. Non-members \$120 per person for two days.

<p>Auslan Classes</p> <p>Auslan 1 – Next course starts on 12th February 2007 (10 – 12 noon and 6 – 8 pm) at the AAD Brisbane office</p> <p>Auslan 2 – Next course starts on Thursday 15th February 2007, 6 – 8.30pm at the AAD Brisbane office</p>	<p>To develop Auslan skills to enable basic communication with Deaf people.</p>	<p>Courses consist of 8 sequential lessons each of 2 hours duration for Auslan 1 and 2.5 hours for Auslan 2.</p> <p>Expressive and receptive signing skills are taught and insight into Deaf culture and the Deaf community is provided.</p>	<p>\$125.00 per person for 8 weeks for Auslan 1 (2 hours per week).</p> <p>\$145 per person for 8 weeks for Auslan 2 (2.5 hours per week).</p> <p>Courses of varying duration and content can also be designed for the workplace. Contact us to discuss your needs.</p>
<p>Individual Auslan tutoring</p>	<p>Develop Auslan skills suited to the workplace or the student's personal situation to enable basic communication with Deaf people.</p>	<p>Expressive and receptive signing skills are taught and insight into Deaf culture and the Deaf community is provided. Lessons are conducted one on one.</p>	<p>\$55 per hour at AAD office</p> <p>\$60 per hour outside of AAD office, within the Brisbane City Council area.</p>
<p>Deaf Deaf World Workshop (3 hours)</p> <p>14th March 9.30am – 12.30pm</p> <p>at UHL Hall Wesley Mission 930 Gympie Road Chermside</p>	<p>Develop an understanding of the Deaf experience through a workshop which simulates some of the communication barriers Deaf people experience in everyday life, by placing hearing people in a Deaf World.</p>	<p>Deaf Deaf World is an interactive workshop providing participants with an opportunity to experience a little of what the world is like for a Deaf person. In everyday life, Deaf people try to overcome barriers to communication in an environment that is designed to meet the needs of hearing people</p>	<p>\$88 per person, minimum of 10 people.</p> <p>Workshops can also be arranged at other times to suit your group, for groups of 10 or more, and can be held at your workplace or our venue.</p>

To arrange any “Become a Deaf Friendly Organisation” program:

Contact Rachel Byrnes at rachel.byrnes@aad.org.au or by fax on 07 33357 8377, TTY 07 3557 8277 or voice phone 07 3357 8266 for more information and/or to arrange a time, place, fees etc.

To enroll in courses at fixed times or to book a course tailored to your needs:

By Mail: Return the completed enrolment form below including payment details to Australian Association of the Deaf, PO Box 1083 Stafford Qld 4053

By fax: Fax the completed enrolment form below including payment details to 07 3357 8377

Please send the enrolment form and payment to Australian Association of the Deaf at least 2 weeks before classes commence.

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Please print this form and fax or mail to the address below

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Mobile: _____

Fax: _____ Email: _____

Tick appropriate boxes:

Deafness Awareness Information:

Date and time agreed: _____ Number of people: _____

Deafness Awareness Information for Schools:

Date and time agreed: _____ Number of children: _____

Deafness Studies: history:

24 & 25 March 2007. AAD member \$100 Non- member \$120

Auslan 1: Starts 12th February 2007. Monday day 10am – 12pm Monday night 6pm – 8pm
Fees: \$125 per person (inc GST) full fee; or \$115 concession with Health care card holders or full time students – please provide copy of card)

Auslan 2: Starts on 15th February 2007. Thursday night 6pm – 8.30pm
Fees: \$145 per person (inc GST) full fee; or \$135 concession with Health care card holders or full time students – please provide copy of card)

Individual Auslan Tutoring:

Start date and time agreed: _____

Address if not attending at AAD office: _____

Deaf Deaf World Workshop:

Date and time: _____ Number of people: _____

Name and address: _____

Payment:

Cheque / Money Order (Please make payable to Australian Association of the Deaf.)

Credit Card Visa / Mastercard / Bankcard / Amex / Diners

Name on Card: _____ Expiry date: __/__/__

Amount \$ _____ Signed _____ Date __/__/__

Please post or fax from and payment to:
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