

A.B.N. 53 137 537 636

For parents, care providers, support workers, educational staff, speech pathologists and other professional staff who may need to be aware of, use and teach signing skills to people with communication impairments.

- Specifically for people with communication impairments.
- Tool for communication and learning development.
- Only Key Words (important words which convey meaning) are signed.
- Uses the most appropriate sign from AUSLAN that represents the meaning. (e.g. Sign for 'sea' is used for the word 'beach').
- Only one sign is used to convey specific meaning/concepts although different words may be used. (e.g. Sign for 'chair' is used for the words: 'chair, stool, seat, lounge, couch, bench').
- Speech is always used.
- Spoken word order is kept although may be simplified to enhance meaning.
- Natural gesture, facial expression, movement, body language and intonation are used to enhance meaning.

BASIC KEY WORD SIGN WORKSHOP

Training aim: For participants to learn the when, how and why of signing and to develop basic signing skills.

Relevant for: Any person who works with children or adults with communication challenges. Teachers, School Support Officers, Educational Care Workers, parents, volunteers, Child care workers, etc.

Learning outcomes: To gain knowledge about signing and to gain skills in how to do basic signs. To gain confidence as a beginning signer.

Content: Theory: How, when and why to sign. Practical: Learning scores of new signs

Term 1 2010

Date/Time: Friday 5 March
9.00am – 3.30 pm
Host: Novita – Parafield Gardens
Venue: "The Billabong"
422 Salisbury Highway
Parafield Gardens 5107
Presenters: Sarah Cannon and TBA

Term 2 2010 School Holidays

Date/Time: Monday 19 April
9.30am – 4.00pm
Host: Novita – Parkside
Venue: Fullarton Park Centre
411 Fullarton Road
FULLARTON 5063
Presenters: Emma Evans and
TBA

Term 2 2010

Date/Time: Wednesdays 5 & 12 May
6.00pm – 9.00pm

Host: Novita – Regency Park

Venue: 171 Days Road
Regency Park 5010

Presenters: Cathy Olsson
(child minding **not** available)

Term 2 2010 (School Holidays)

Date/Time: Wednesday 7 July
9.00am – 3.30pm

Host: Novita – Regency Park

Venue: 171 Days Road
Regency Park 5010

Presenters: Amanda Denley and TBA

Term 3 2010 (School Holidays)

Date/Time: Wednesday 29 September
9.00am – 3.30pm

Host: Novita – Christies Beach

Venue: 111 Beach Road
Christies Beach 5165

Presenters: Claire Della Torre and
TBA

Term 4 2010

Date/Time: Monday 1 November
9.00am-3.30pm

Host: Novita - Paradise

Venue: 5 Darley Road
Paradise 5075

Presenters: Rachael Virgo and TBA

KEY WORD SIGN PRAC WORKSHOP

Training aim: For participants to be refreshed with the basic signing information and to increase their signing vocabulary and sign fluency.

Relevant for: Any person who works with children or adults with communication challenges and who have basic signing skills. Teachers, SSOs, ECWs, **parents**, volunteers, Child care workers etc.

Learning outcomes: To refresh knowledge about signing and to increase sign vocabulary and fluency skills.

Content: Theory- Review of basic signing information. Practical - Expanding signing vocabulary and fluency. Teaching strategies and practical hints are included

Prerequisites: Attendance at a basic Key Word Sign Workshop or basic signing skills

Term 2 2010

Date/Time: Monday 3 May
4.30pm-7.00pm

Host: Novita Regency Park

Venue: 171 Days Road
REGENCY PARK 5010

Presenter: Debbie Schwier

Term 3 2010 (School Holidays)

Date/Time: Monday 27 September
9.30am – 12 noon

Host: Novita – Regency Park

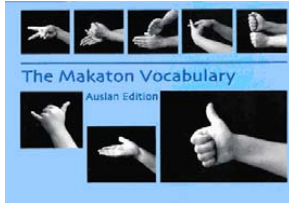
Venue: 171 Days Road
REGENCY PARK 5010

Presenter: Cathy Olsson

RESOURCES FOR SALE AT WORKSHOP:

Book & CD-Rom package - **\$48.00**

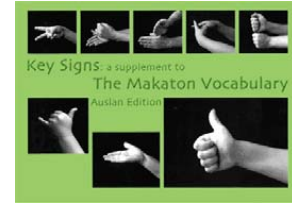
Other Resources also available to order at workshop



Makaton book **\$25.00**



CD-Rom –
\$28.00



Supplement book **\$25**

KEY WORD SIGN WORKSHOP APPLICATION FORM 2010

Name: **Workshop Type:** **Basic**

Organisation: **Prak**

..... **Workshop Date:**

Address: **Cost of Workshop:**

..... **Free** – I'm registered with
Novita/Disability SA

Phone No: **\$60** (one day workshop)

Mobile No.: **\$65** (two session workshop)

Email address: **\$35** (Key Word Sign Prac Workshop)

PAYMENT

I will pay by:

..... **Cheque**
(payable to Novita Children's Services)

..... **Cash**

Receipts

..... I would like a personal receipt

..... No, I don't need a receipt

..... Please, send my organization a receipt

Tax Invoice - Where an individual registration is less than \$1,000 (inc. GST) this document becomes a tax invoice upon payment (ABN 53 137 537 636)

CHILD MINDING

(only available to Novita clients and siblings, Disability SA clients and siblings)

I would like child minding? YES NO

If yes:

Child 1 Name: Age

Child 2 Name: Age

Child 3 Name: Age

Please Note:

Payment must be received by the commencement of the workshop.

Closing date for all workshops is 5 working days prior to workshop.

Workshops are cancelled if less than 8 people are registered.

Child minding is only available if there are 3 or more children registered and is not available for the Key Word Sign Prac Workshop.

Send this application form along with your payment to:

Key Word Sign Australia Workshop
Finance Department
Novita Children's Services
PO Box 2438
REGENCY PARK SA 5942

All enquiries please call 8243 8311