

# Key Word Sign Basic Workshop

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## What is Key Word Sign?

Key Word Sign is a strategy to support understanding and expression.

It borrows features from both Auslan (the language of the Australian Deaf Community) and Signed English.

Key Word Sign is designed for children and adults who can usually hear but have communication difficulties.

## Course Content and Learning Objectives:

- The principles of Key Word Sign
- How sign supports communication
- Who signing is used with
- Learn finger spelling and Interactive Sign Vocabulary 1 and 2
- Use sign and gesture in everyday activities
- How to support others to learn Key Word Sign.

## This workshop is for:

Anyone who supports, works with, lives with, or interacts with someone who experiences communication difficulties.

## Features of the workshop:

- ◆ Full day workshop (9am-4pm)
- ◆ Interactive with plenty of opportunity for practice
- ◆ Support provided to problem solve barriers to sign production
- ◆ Low pressure learning environment
- ◆ Scope's Getting Started with Key Word Sign booklet (Auslan Edition), is included with registration. The booklet features more than 100 words with clear line drawings and descriptions.

NDIS funding can be used to access training and workshops like this if the individual's plan contains a goal related to increasing communication partner knowledge and skills.

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