


BSL



**and Awareness
Club Session 4**

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the anonymous box

at any time pop in suggestions or email us, please suggest disabilities and we will prioritise what you suggest!

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Feedback form

Send in responses before the first session back! We'd appreciate it so much and the club would make amazing progress with your help!

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Alphabet recap

HANGMAN

Common phrases roleplay

- Use the sheets in front of you to practise the everyday signs
- Practise having a silent conversation roleplay only using BSL with the people around you
- We'll come round and practice with you!
- Incorporate all of the signs and try not to look at the sheets
- Test each other! Guess the sign!

Number recap

- Write **9 numbers** from **1-100** on your paper sheet
- Zahra will pick out a number and sign it to you- pay attention and practice reading and interpreting number signs
- Cross out the number on your sheet when its been picked out
- When you cross out all the numbers shout **BINGO** loudly and sign the word, BINGO won't count without the correct sign!
- Prizes for winners

BSL representation



- Rose ayling ellis is a British actress known mostly for playing a role in Eastenders and also became the first deaf contestant to appear on Strictly Come Dancing in 2021
- She is deaf since birth and uses BSL every single day
- Actively campaigning for BSL to be recognised as an official language, she helped the law to be passed recently and encouraged more people to stand up for sign language and build a better awareness for the deaf community

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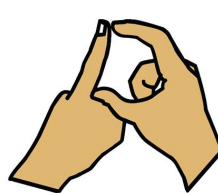
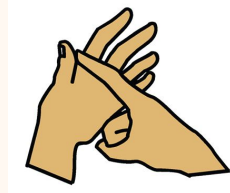
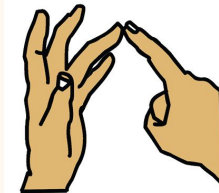
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Anonymous box Q&A

- How can the other person read the letters you fingerspell if they look different to them?
- Can you be sarcastic in BSL?
- What is the sign for 'I love you'?
- How do you sign 'And you?' ?
- In the last session you included how Dyslexia has helped people achieve great things like with the quote you shared by Richard Branson, how did it help him?
- Song suggestions
- Can you speak about ADHD and masking and differences in how it can present for example in different genders?
- Can you share the sign for the disabilities that we are learning about?



Colours of the rainbow in BSL



Red

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Yellow

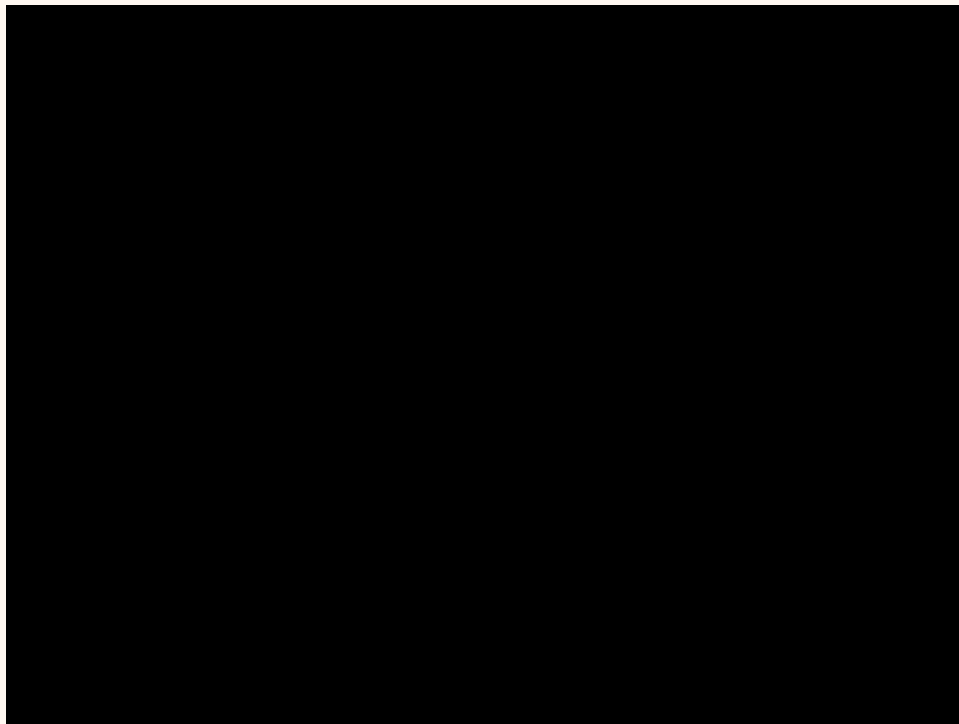


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Pink



Green



Orange

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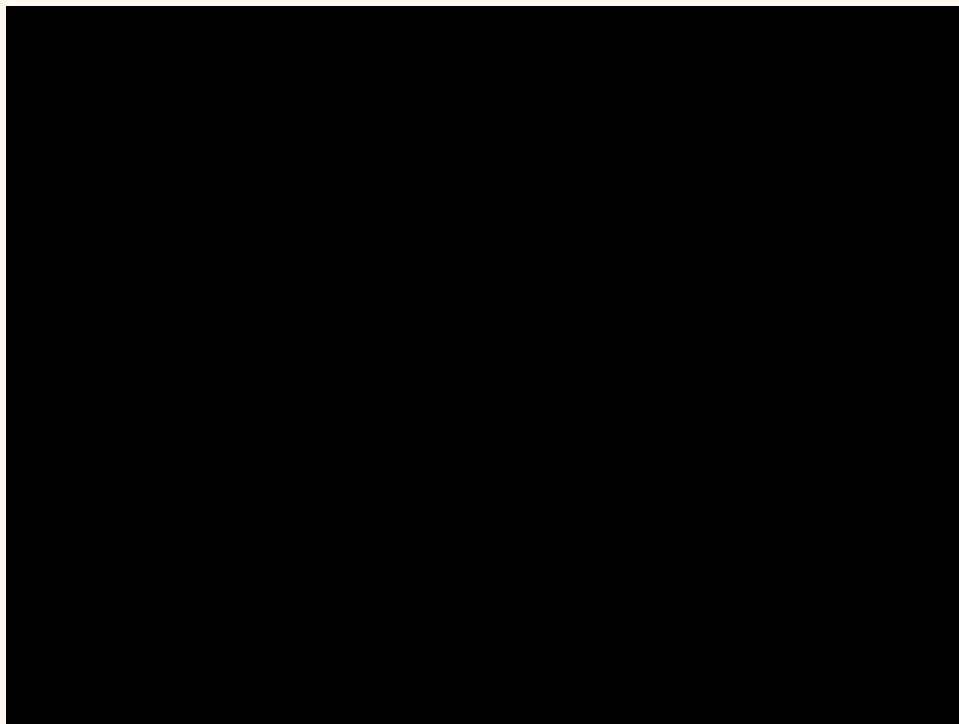


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Purple



Blue





I can sing a rainbow

Sing a rainbow

Sing a rainbow too



SING ALONG WITH US

We will go through the song together and then sign with the video!!

Use the sheets in front of you to help

Learn BSL Rainbow Song!



#StayAtHome Activities



Diversity week plans

- We wanted our club to perform to part of the song (only a section of the song) 'This is me' from the Greatest Showman in a video to celebrate BSL club during Diversity week
- The video will be shown in the Diversity Week Assembly, celebrating Neurodiversity by showcasing the amazing community we've created
- We hope you would want to be part of this performance, it would only be short but it would be incredibly meaningful and would spread awareness about Sign Language and deaf awareness
- The video we use will be posted to help you practice before we film, if you can't make the sessions where we learn the song then feel free to learn it on your own and we can go through it before we film

Diversity week plans

- There are other upcoming plans and events to celebrate Neurodiversity, including:
 - A Neurodiversity assembly that we have worked on to spread awareness about hidden disabilities including ADHD, Autism and many others, for those who weren't able to attend sessions and to cover aspects not included in our slides
 - A FACT event, details will be shared nearer the time
- We hope to see as many of you as possible in the upcoming sessions to learn the song- please do support us to make it a success!
- **ANYONE CAN COME!!!** You don't have to be a regular member of the club! Feel free to bring many friends and anyone that wants to be involved!
- Everything will be updated on Google Classroom- make sure you join!

Diversity week plans

- Wednesday lunchtime (**8th June**)
 - learning to sign the song THIS IS ME from The Greatest Showman
 - Come to P3 at 1:45
- Thursday lunchtime (**9th June**)
 - Practicing the song in P3 at 1:45
- Monday lunchtime (**13th June**)
 - The session will be used for a final run through of the song and filming a video of everyone performing it
- You don't have to come to the session on the 13th June if you don't want to be part of the video and just want to learn the song, but it would be an amazing showcase of our club, celebrating Diversity week

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Thank you for coming :)

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