

What our HLTAs and TAs can bring to your setting...

Our Specialist Higher Level Teaching Assistants and Specialist Teaching Assistants work in partnership with schools to support children and young people with deafness and hearing loss from birth to 25. Including communication support in Urdu and Punjabi.

Early Years

We offer your key worker:

- Hands on training by modelling and sharing good practice
- Examples of modified resources – home school books and experience books

We offer your child:

- Social interaction groups
- Pre/post tutoring
- Peer Awareness
- Sign Language
- Support for transition

Key Stage 1 & 2

We offer your TA:

- Training by modelling and sharing good practice
- Support for newly diagnosed deaf children in your school
- Examples of modified resources

We offer your pupil:

- Literacy support through individual specialist programmes
- Social interaction group to build self-esteem and confidence
- Bespoke small group or individual sessions for language development
- Pre and post tutoring
- Peer Awareness
- Sign Language
- Support for end of Year 6 tests
- Support for transition to secondary school

Key Stage 3 & 4

We offer your TA:

- Training by modelling and sharing good practice
- Troubleshooting tips and strategies to support the good use of hearing equipment

We offer your student/young person:

- Support for independent management of hearing equipment
- Pre and post tutoring
- Identification of targets and development of strategies to meet them
- Supportive discussions around achievements, difficulties and concerns
- Opportunities to meet other young people with a hearing loss
- Peer awareness
- Sign Language
- Self esteem and confident building
- Maths support for basic numeracy, GCSE and A Level
- English Support
- Tailored resources for individual sessions
- Motivational and preparatory work for exams
- Preparation for college

Our HLTA/Total Communication Tutor...

Works in partnership with parents and professionals to support children and young people with a hearing loss from birth to 25.

Offers :

- Signing sessions:

- 6 week introductory sessions
- Bespoke signing programmes for individual children, staff and peers.

Deaf Awareness:

- - Peer awareness in class

- Assembly to whole school or Key Stages.

- Well being

- Working with individual or a small group of deaf students on their deaf identity.