

Welcome to the Ayrshire Shared BSL Local Plan Consultation

Thank you for your interest and participation in the Shared British Sign Language (BSL) Local Plan Consultation.

The Consultation will start on Friday 1 June 2018 and end on Friday 6 July 2018.

You can take part in the Consultation in 3 ways;

1. Participate in a Consultation Event in South, North or East Ayrshire with your family and friends.
2. By Email – complete the Consultation Questions (BSL video clips or text) and Email to BSLConsult@south-ayrshire.gov.uk
3. By telephone using 'Contact Scotland-BSL'.

1. Consultation Events:

The Ayrshire BSL Working Group warmly welcome your views, opinions and comments on the Shared BSL Local Plan. We would love to meet you at one of our family-friendly Consultation Events. (Please see accompanying flyer)

Date: Saturday 16 June

Time: 11.30am – 1.30pm and
4.30pm – 5.30pm

Place: Grange Academy 'The Street' (next to the Assembly Hall)
Grange Campus, Beech Ave, Kilmarnock KA1 2EN

Date: Wednesday 20 June

Time: 6pm - 8:30 pm

Place: Irvine Townhouse, Irvine

Date: Sunday 1 July (to be confirmed, subject to the availability of BSL Interpreters)

Time: 2pm -5pm

Place: Gaiety Theatre, Ayr

2. By Email:

Please complete the Consultation Questions (BSL video clips or text) and return to BSLConsult@south-ayrshire.gov.uk

3. By Telephone, using 'Contact Scotland-BSL':

Please contact any of the following members of the Ayrshire BSL Working Group to provide feedback on the Shared BSL Local Plan:

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If you would be willing to be part of the Ayrshire BSL Working Group to develop the final Shared BSL Local Plan, please do let us know when you attend an event, email your response or contact us by telephone using 'Contact Scotland'.

We are keen to work in partnership with Deaf people across Ayrshire. By working together, we can achieve positive changes for Deaf people of all ages, now and in the future. Make sure you have your say!

Kind Regards

Ayrshire BSL Working Group

