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## Introduction to Italian sign language

The Italian Sign Language (LIS) is a real language that conveys messages through the visual-gestural channel in order to be able to communicate with deaf people.

The aim of the project is to spread the learning of LIS and the culture of the deaf, so as to be able to carry out basic communication and raise awareness of the issues of integrating deaf people within society, an issue which, still today, highlights many difficulties.

### Skills

The owner of this badge has proved to have the following **skills**:

- ability to interface with deaf people through basic communication.

The owner of this badge has shown to have acquired the following **soft skills**:

- ability to communicate through a different channel;
- awareness of the issue of deafness and those connected to it.

The owner of this badge has demonstrated to have acquired the following **knowledge**:

- different levels of deafness;
- difference between sign and gesture, language and language, parameters as constituent elements of the sign;
- practical signs.

### Criteria

The Badge is awarded following attendance of the "Introduction to Italian Sign Language" course. The percentage of attendance cannot be less than 80% of the planned activities (25 hours).

The assignment of the Badge is subject to passing the final theoretical and practical test.



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