Lesson 23

Vocabulary

655 not my responsibility, out of my hands
656 train-gone, you missed out, cannot be repeated, already gone
657 use, utilize, apply, wear
658 shoes, *boots
659 dress
660 socks
661 pants
662 shirt
663 clothes, dress
664 hat
665 cap
666 pocketbook, purse, handbag
667 suitcase, luggage
668 necklace
669 ring
670 bracelet
671 shorts
672 handkerchief, tissue
673 underwear
674 flip flops, sandals
675 hoodie
676 short sleeves
677 long sleeves
678 glasses, eyeglasses
679 bra, brassiere
680 coat, jacket

655
not my responsibility, out of my hands

That mistake is not my responsibility.

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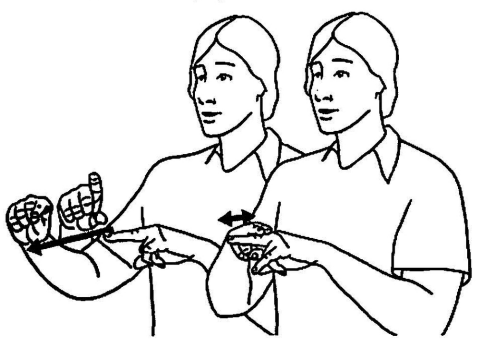
train-gone, you missed out, cannot be repeated, already gone



Sorry, you missed out.

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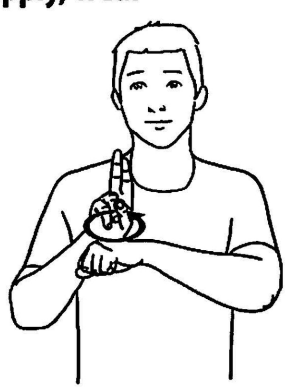
use, utilize, apply, wear



Mom uses the downstairs toilet.

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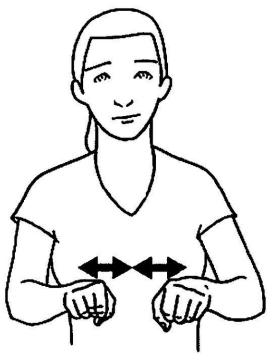
shoes, *boots



Your shoes are under the table.

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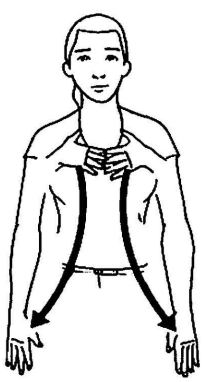
dress



That looks like a new dress.

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socks

The boy's socks are different colors.

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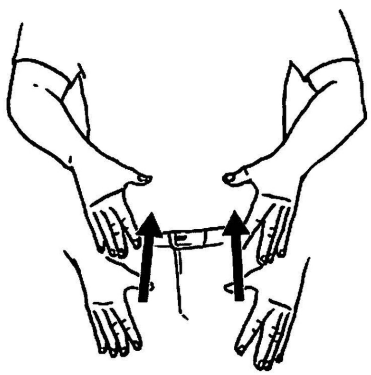
pants



Put your pants in the closet.

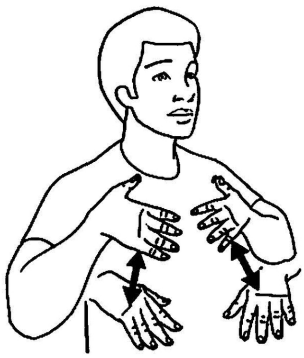
662
shirt

I don't like wearing a pink shirt.

Deaf Culture Facts and Information

By the 1860s, nearly 40 percent of all teachers of deaf children were deaf themselves. After the Milan Congress of 1880, which promoted an oral-only education for deaf children, the number of deaf teachers dropped to about 14 percent in the United States because they were "unable" to teach speech.

663
clothes, dress



Her mother dresses nicely every day.

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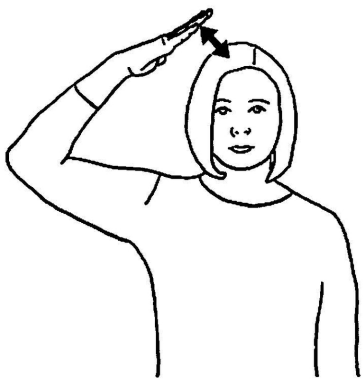
hat



Where did he put my hat?

665
cap

Most boys like caps.

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pocketbook, purse, handbag

Your red purse is on the steps.

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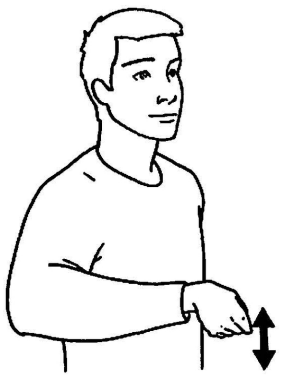
suitcase, luggage



The dark blue suitcase is full.

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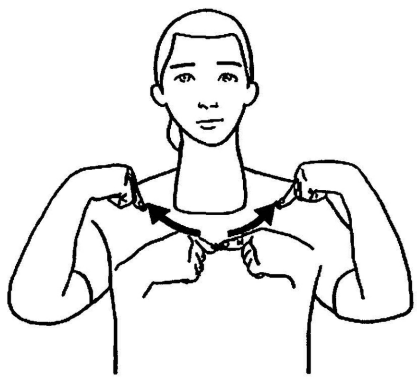
necklace



Her necklace is gold and silver.

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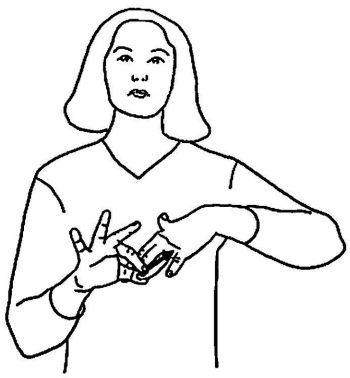
ring



She left her ring in the bathroom.

ASL Grammar Notes

Fingerspelling includes a class of signs known as "loan signs" or "borrowed signs." These signs have evolved from fingerspelling the individual letters of an English word and are sometimes defined as *lexicalized* (like a word) fingerspelling. Some features of the individual letter signs have changed over time, so that a new sign is created. For example, the sign NO began as the fingerspelling of N-O, but the handshapes have changed and the movement is reduplicated (repeated). In the lexicalized sign that began as Y-E-S, the E has been dropped and the palm orientation and movement have changed.

670
bracelet

That bracelet is very pretty.

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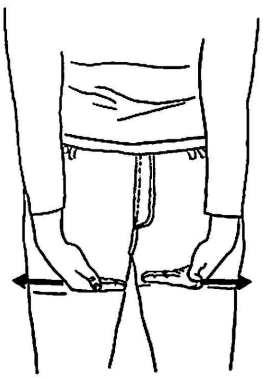
shorts

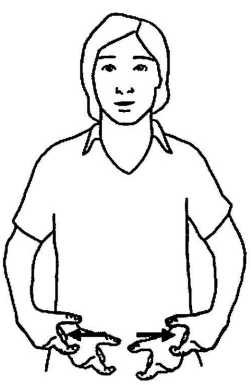


His shorts need to be washed.

672
handkerchief, tissue

I forgot my handkerchief.

673
underwear



Underwear comes in different colors.

674
flip flops, sandals

The black flip flops are too big.

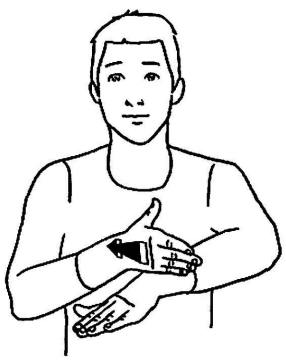
675
hoodie

Your hoodie is on the chair.

676
short sleeves

Short sleeves are fine in the summer.

677
long sleeves



Mom always wears long sleeves.

678
glasses, eyeglasses

My brother needs other glasses.

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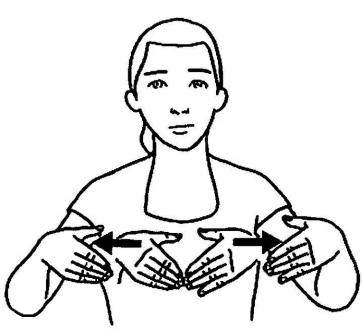
bra, brassiere



Bras can be very expensive.

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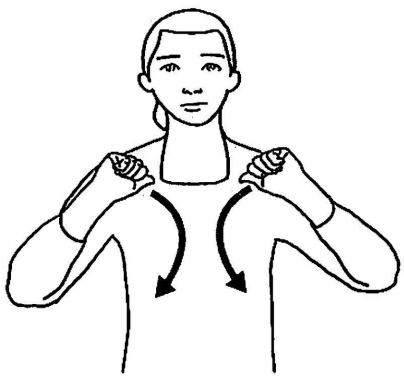
coat, jacket



Always wear a coat in the winter.

Mind Ticklers

Make the sign _____	and think about . . .
not my responsibility, out of my hands	flicking the responsibility from your shoulders
train gone, you missed out, cannot be repeated, already gone	literally signing **train gone**
use, utilize, apply, wear	signing **work** with a U handshape
shoes, boots	hitting your shoes together to knock off dirt
dress	the outline of a dress
socks	knitting socks
pants	pulling up your pants
shirt	holding up your shirt
clothes, dress	brushing off your clothes
hat	what goes on your head
cap	touching the bill of a cap
pocketbook, purse	holding on to your purse
suitcase, luggage	carrying a suitcase
necklace	outlining the shape of a necklace
ring	placing a ring on your finger
bracelet	placing a bracelet on your wrist
shorts	showing the length of your shorts
handkerchief, tissue	wiping your nose
underwear	what is under your pants
flip flops, sandals	the strap between your toes
hoodie	pulling your hood over your head
short sleeves, long sleeves	indicating the length of your sleeves
glasses, eyeglasses	the shape of eyeglasses
bra, brassiere	where the bra is worn
coat, jacket	putting on a coat

Practice Sentences

1. Raising that child is not my responsibility.
2. Sorry, you missed out, there is nothing more to say.
3. Wear your hoodie when going out in the cold weather.
4. Your socks, shorts, and underwear are on the bed.
5. Can you put my hat in your purse?
6. I wear flip-flops and shorts every day during the summer.
7. The nurse has a new bracelet and necklace.
8. We finally got Mom to wear blue shorts.
9. My uncle cannot see very far with his new glasses.
10. Put all your clothes in the suitcase upstairs.
11. Your red ring looks nice with your beautiful red dress.
12. Wear short sleeves in the summer and long sleeves in the winter.
13. They wanted to lead the group; it is out of my hands.
14. My aunt always wears white pants to work.
15. My brother wore his cap while hunting with Dad.

1.

Handshape: C > 5 : S
Orientation: palms down, right thumb inside left hand
Location: neutral space
Movement: sharply bend right wrist back, opening to 5 handshape
Nonmanual signal: "disparaging" expression

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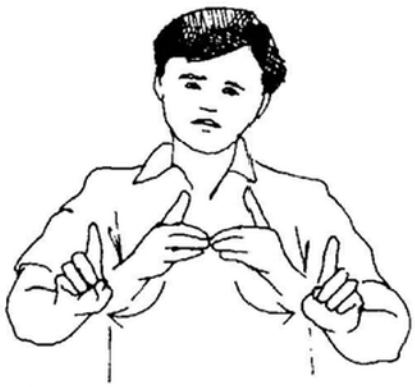

Handshape: D : D
Orientation: palms facing
Location: neutral space
Movement: twist hands out, ending with palms out

3.

Handshape: D : D
Orientation: palms facing
Location: neutral space
Movement: tap fingertips together twice

4.

Handshape: D : D
Orientation: palms facing; fingertips touch
Location: neutral space
Movement: swing hands around, ending with fingers touching

5.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: palms facing
Location: neutral space
Movement: move hands alternately back and forth
Nonmanual signal: lips pursed; body and head lean back

6.

Handshape: D : D
Orientation: palms facing
Location: neutral space
Movement: move hands alternately back and forth

7.

Handshape: D : Open B
Orientation: right palm down, hand above left palm; left palm up
Location: neutral space
Movement: brush right fingertips on left palm twice

8.

Handshape: D : Open B
Orientation: right palm down, hand above left hand;
Location: neutral space
Movement: tap right fingertips on left wrist twice

9.

Handshape: D : Open B
Orientation: palms facing, right fingertips on left palm
Location: neutral space
Movement: slide right hand up and off left palm

10.

Handshape: D : passive
Orientation: right palm left, elbow on left hand; left palm down
Location: neutral space
Movement: bring right hand down to rest on left arm

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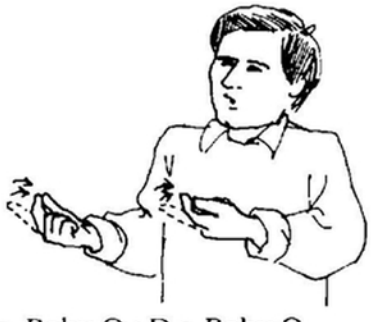

Handshape: D > Baby O : D > Baby O
Orientation: palms up
Location: neutral space
Movement: open and close index fingers and thumbs, several times
Nonmanual signal: body leans forward; head tilts right; "puzzled" expression

12.

Handshape: E : E
Orientation: palms facing
Location: forehead
Movement: double bounce hands forward

13.

Handshape: E : E
Orientation: palms out
Location: neutral space
Movement: alternate hands in circling toward center
Nonmanual signal: "serious" expression

14.

Handshape: E : E
Orientation: palms in
Location: chest
Movement: brush knuckles up chest while making alternating circles

15.

Handshape: E : Open B
Orientation: right palm down, hand above left hand; left palm up
Location: neutral space
Movement: brush right hand across left palm twice

16.

Handshape: E : Open B
Orientation: palms down; right hand above left hand
Location: neutral space
Movement: move right hand in a circle and then land on left ring finger

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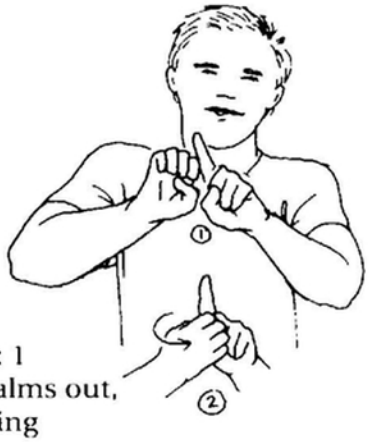

Handshape: E : 1
Orientation: palms out, hands touching
Location: neutral space
Movement: rotate right hand around left index finger

18.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: palms out
Location: neutral space
Movement: shake hands side-to-side several times
Nonmanual signal: lips pursed; body and head lean back

19.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: palms facing, right hand closer to body
Location: neutral space
Movement: bend wrists toward each other in a short, quick motion
Nonmanual signal: lips tight

20.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: right palm left; left palm right, wrists crossed
Location: neutral space
Movement: swing hands out and around, ending with palms out

21.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: palms facing; thumbs touching
Location: neutral space
Movement: arc hands up, ending with thumbs touching, palms out
Nonmanual signal: head tilted back; "serious" expression

22.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: palms facing, thumbs touching
Location: neutral space
Movement: move hands apart and back together twice

23.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: palms facing, thumbs touching
Location: neutral space
Movement: separate hands in wiggling motion

24.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: palms facing
Location: neutral space
Movement: bring hands together, interlocking thumbs and index fingers

25.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: palms facing, thumbs and index fingers interlocked
Location: neutral space
Movement: circle hands right

26.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: right palm out; left palm in, thumbs and index fingers interlocked
Location: neutral space
Movement: move hands back and forth twice

27.

Handshape: D : Open B
Orientation: palms down
Location: neutral space
Movement: double bounce right hand down on left ring finger

28.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: palms facing
Location: neutral space
Movement: alternately move hands up and down
Nonmanual signal: lips tight; "strained" expression

29.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: palms facing, right hand closer to body
Location: neutral space
Movement: arc hands around each other to reverse positions

30.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: right palm out; left palm in, thumbs and index fingers touching
Location: neutral space
Movement: twist wrists to switch hand positions

31.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: right palm out; left palm in, thumbs and index fingers interlocked
Location: neutral space
Movement: unlock hands and reverse positions several times while moving hands right

32.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: right palm down; left palm up, thumbs and index fingers touching
Location: neutral space
Movement: spiral right hand up

33.

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: palms facing, right hand above left hand
Location: neutral space
Movement: bring right hand down, brushing right thumb and index finger past left thumb and index finger
Nonmanual signal: "annoyed" expression

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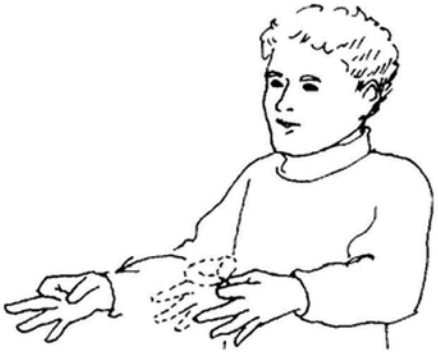

Handshape: F : F
Orientation: palms facing, thumbs and index fingers touching
Location: neutral space
Movement: arc right hand deliberately forward
Nonmanual signal: lips pursed; "annoyed" expression

35.

Handshape: X : X
Orientation: palms out
Location: right hand near temple; left hand near cheek
Movement: move hands alternately up and down
Nonmanual signal: lips pursed

36.

Handshape: X : X
Orientation: right palm left, above and in back of left hand; left palm right
Location: neutral space
Movement: brush right hand across left hand, arcing wrist forward and up
Nonmanual signal: "cha" mouth utterance

Vocabulary

1. **Incompetent, moron, thick-skulled, unskilled, dumb**
2. **Divorce**
3. **Date**
4. **Department**
5. **Describe, define, directions, explain**
6. **Describe, define, directions**
7. **Dictionary**
8. **Doctor, physician**
9. **Develop**
10. **Day**
11. **What are you doing? What to do?**
12. **Education**
13. **Experiment**
14. **Emotion**
15. **Encyclopedia**
16. **Engaged**
17. **Environment**
18. **Nothing to it, misdemeanor, petty, unimportant**
19. **Exact, perfect, precise**
20. **Free**
21. **Important, imperative, significant, value, vital, worth**
22. **Caption, subtitle**
23. **Sentence, language**
24. **Belong, affiliate, attach, connect, join, unite**
25. **Cooperate, teamwork, "work together"**
26. **Relationship**
27. **Diamond**
28. **Judge, if (old sign)**
29. **Exchange, replace, trade, instead of**
30. **Interpret**
31. **Chain, Olympics**
32. **Ghost, soul, spirit**
33. **Just, simple**
34. **Postpone, delay, defer, put off, "move down"**
35. **Expression, non-manual markers, body language**
36. **Ruin, spoil, expired**