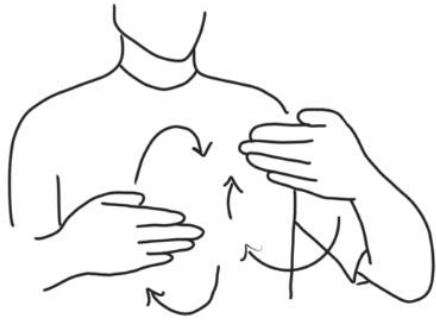


BASIC AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE SIGNS

SHEET 3



HAPPY



SAD



MAD



DEAF



HEARING



**HARD OF
HEARING**



ASL



**I LOVE
YOU**



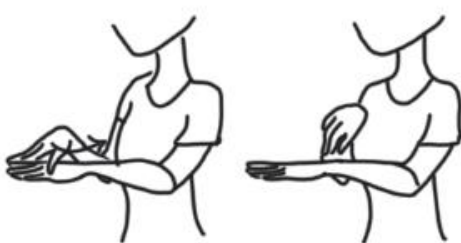
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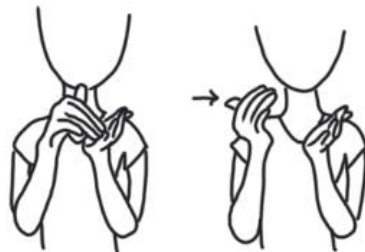
DRINK



LEARN



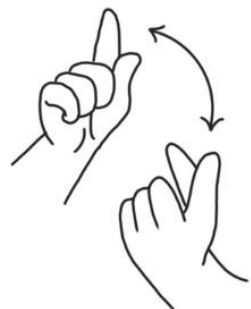
SLOW



AGAIN



NICE



MEET

DIRECTIONS:

Happy: Place one or both hands on your chest and move them upward in small circles, like you're brushing happiness out.

Sad: Hold both hands in front of your face, palms facing in, and slowly drag them down your face, like tears falling.

Mad: Hold your hand like a claw in front of your face and scrunch your face like you're angry.

Deaf: Point to your ear with your index finger, then move it to your mouth.

Hearing: Place your index finger sideways in front of your mouth and make a small circle, like words rolling out.

Hard of Hearing: Hold out two fingers together (index and middle) and bounce them sideways in front of you (first to the left, then to the right), like you are drawing a lowercase "h" in the air with your two fingers.

ASL: Sign the letters A, S, and L in order. **A:** Make a fist with your thumb resting on the side of the fist (not tucked under your fingers). **S:** Make a fist with your thumb tucked in front of your fingers. **L:** Hold your thumb and index finger out to form an "L" shape, while the other fingers stay folded down.

I Love You: Hold up your hand with your thumb, index finger, and pinky finger sticking out, middle and ring fingers down.

My: Place your flat hand on your chest.

Drink: Hold your hand like you're holding a cup and tip it toward your mouth.

Learn: Place one hand flat like a book or paper. With your other hand, pinch your fingers together on the "paper," then bring them up to your forehead, like taking in knowledge.

Slow: Place one hand flat, palm down. Slide your other hand slowly up the back of it.

Again: Place one hand flat, palm up. With your other hand, curve your fingers and tap them onto the palm (like putting something back on your hand).

Nice: Place one hand flat, palm up. Rub the flat palm of your other hand across it once, smoothly.

Meet: Hold up both index fingers, each representing a person. Move them toward each other so they touch, like two people meeting.