



Sign Language Instruction

Handtalk Zoo by George Ancona (J419 A542H)

Words and sign language depict children at the zoo discovering how to sign the names of various animals.

Signs For Me: Basic Sign Vocabulary for Children by Benjamin J. Bahan (J419 B151S)

Presents the American Sign Language hand shapes for nouns, verbs, adjectives, pronouns, numbers, and letters.

My First Book of Sign by Pamela J. Baker (J419 B168M)

Pictures of children demonstrate the forming of 150 basic words, accompanied by illustrations of the words themselves. Includes a discussion of finger spelling and general rules for signing.

The Whole World of Hands by Gilda Berger (J611.97 B496W)

Discusses the hand, including sign language.

Handmade ABC: A Manual Alphabet by Linda Bourke (J419 B774H)

The manual alphabet is introduced through illustrations of each signed letter and of items beginning with that letter.

Sesame Street Sign Language ABC with Linda Bove by Linda Bove (J419 B783S)

Linda Bove introduces letters of the alphabet and useful words in sign language.

I Can Sign My ABCs by Susan Gibbons Chaplin (J419 C464I)

An introduction to the alphabet in sign language with the manual alphabet, hand-shape, a picture, the name and the sign of the object beginning with that letter for each letter of the alphabet.

Handtalk Birthday by Remy Charlip (J419 C478Ha)

Mary Beth celebrates her birthday with friends and communicates with them through sign language and finger spelling.

An Alphabet of Animal Signs by S. Harold Collins (J419 C712A)

Beginning Sign Language Series. Animal illustrations and associated signs for each letter of the alphabet.

Expanded Songs in Sign by S. Harold Collins (J419 C712E)
Beginning Sign Language Series. An expansion of the popular *Songs in Sign* to eleven songs.

The Finger Alphabet by S. Harold Collins (J419 C712F)
Beginning Sign Language Series. Uses word games and activities to teach finger alphabet.

Foods by S. Harold Collins (J419 C712Fo)
Beginning Sign Language Series. Presents common foods that might be found at breakfast, lunch, dinner, and snack.

Mother Goose in Sign by S. Harold Collins (J419 C712M)
Beginning Sign Language Series. Five illustrated Mother Goose nursery rhymes.

Number and Letter Games by S. Harold Collins (J419 C712N)
Beginning Sign Language Series. Presents a variety of games involving the finger alphabet, sign numbers, and recognizable graphics.

Signing at School by S. Harold Collins (J419 C712Si)
Beginning Sign Language Series. Presents signs needed in a school setting.

Songs in Sign by S. Harold Collins (J419 C712S)
Beginning Sign Language Series. Six songs with easy-to-follow illustrations.

Signing For Kids by Mickey Flodin (J419 F628Si)
An introduction to the expressive language of the deaf, organized by subject areas, including Pets, People, Numbers, Sports, Travel, Science, Thoughts and Feelings, and Places.

My Signing Book of Numbers by Patricia Bellan Gillen (J419 G476M)
Teaches in sign language the numbers 0-20, 30-100 by tens, 1000 and 1,000,000.

Where's Spot? By Eric Hill (PJ Hi)
A mother dog finds eight other animals hiding around the house before finding her lost puppy. Flaps conceal the animals and the text is accompanied by diagrams showing how to form the signed language signs for each word of text.

American Sign Language Basics for Hearing Parents of Deaf Children
by Jess Freeman King (P419 K52A & VC 3782)
Teaches the basics of American Sign Language to hearing parents of deaf children--how to do and interpret the different signs. Tape 1 introduces the concepts. Tape 2 is all practice.

Gallaudet Survival Guide to Signing by Leonard G. Lane (P419 L265G)
A pocket-size dictionary of more than 500 words in American Sign Language.

Beyond Words: Great Stories for Hand and Voice by Valerie Marsh (P398.2 M365B)
Presents a collection of twenty folk tales and original stories accompanied by sign language diagrams. Includes information for teachers and parents about storytelling and sign language.

With Love From Koko by Faith McNulty (J599.884 M169)
The author records her visit with Koko, a young gorilla in California, who uses sign language and who experiences many of the same feelings a child feels.

The Story of Nim: The Chimp Who Learned Language
by Anna Michel (J599.884 M623S)
Relates the story of Nim, a chimpanzee who is being taught to use sign language to "talk" as part of a program to study language acquisitions by animals.

Handtalk School by Mary Beth Miller (J419 M649H)
Words and sign language depict a group of students involved in putting on a Thanksgiving play at a school for deaf children.

Koko's Kitten by Francine Patterson (J599.884 P317K)
The real life experience of Koko with a kitten whom she loved and grieved over when it died.

Koko's Story by Francine Patterson (J599.88 P317K)
The author recounts her experiences with Koko during the fourteen years she has been teaching her to communicate through sign language.

Pets, Animals & Creatures by Jane Phillips (J419 C712P)
Provides the sign language equivalent for the animal pictured.

The Handmade Counting Book by Laura Rankin (J419 R211Hc)
Shows how to count from one to twenty and twenty-five, fifty, seventy-five, and one hundred using sign language.

The Joy of Signing: The Illustrated Guide for Mastering Sign Language and the Manual Alphabet by Lottie L. Riekehof (P419 R555J) Over 1,500 signs have been clearly illustrated and are grouped by chapter into their natural categories. Line drawings and step-by-step descriptions of hand positions aid rapid learning.

The Complete Idiot's Guide to Learning Sign Language by Susan Shelly (P419 S545C)
When you finish reading this book you'll have enough of the basic sign hand-shapes, grammar, and syntax to get started signing by yourself.

Animal Signs: A First Book of Sign Language by Debby Slier (BD SI)
Photographs of different animals with the appropriate words and sign language diagrams identifying them.

Word Signs: A First Book of Sign Language by Debby Slier (BD SI)
Provides words, illustrations, and sign language for common objects.

The Signing Family: What Every Parent Should Know About Sign Communication by David Alan Stewart (P419 S851S) The author shows parents how to create a set of goals for signing, centered around the needs of their deaf child.

Sing 'n Sign For Fun Songbook by Gaia Tossing (J419 T715S)

Baby's First Signs by Kim Votry (BD Vo)
A toddler signs elementary words in American Sign Language.

More Baby's First Signs by Kim Votry (BD Vo)
A toddler learns how to sign more elementary words in American Sign Language.

Piggyback Songs to Sign by Jean Warren (P419 W289P)

Fruits and Vegetables by S. Harold Collins (J419 C712F)
Beginning Sign Language Series. Learn how to sign hand-shapes for names of fruits and vegetables.

Mother Goose in Sign by S. Harold Collins (J419 C712M)
Beginning Sign Language Series. Numerous Mother Goose rhymes presented in American Sign Language.

Winnie-the-Pooh's ABC by A. A. Milne (J419 M659W)
Each letter of the alphabet is shown in uppercase and lowercase and a line drawing of a person signing the letter is found on each page.