

B. Intro to Signing

Content Area: **World Languages**
Course(s):
Time Period: **Trimester 1**
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Unit Overview

This unit will focus on the basics of American Sign Language. Students will gain understanding of their hands, signing space, and what encompasses Total Communication. Students will be introduced or review the letters of the alphabet and will learn or review how to sign his or her name. Finally, students will be able to sign basic Dialogue when first meeting someone who is Deaf.

Essential Questions

What are the parts of my finger called?

What are the basic most common hand shapes in ASL?

What is the Signer's "box"?

What is the correct way to sign the letters of the alphabet?

How do I sign my name?

How would I introduce myself to someone that is Deaf and begin to engage in conversation?

What should my eyebrows be doing when asking questions that start with a "W"?

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