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ASL 101: Lesson 3 - First Step in Learning ASL - Practice
Learning the Signs: Guided Reading

Multiple Choice. Select the best answer for each statement or question below.

1) Which handshape is used to form the sign TWO-OF-US?

- a) Y
- b) K
- c) O
- d) S

2) What is the movement for the sign TWO-OF-US? The hand is moved back and forth between the _____ and the other person.

- a) teacher
- b) parent
- c) signer
- d) hearing person

3) In the movement for the sign PRACTICE, the fist brushes back and forth (_____) on the index finger side of the other hand

- a) scrapes
- b) cuts
- c) hitting
- d) polishes

4) Which THREE of the following English words can signed using the sign for PRACTICE?

- a) practicing
- b) learning
- c) training
- d) work-on-it
- e) make it
- f) work

5) What is the movement for the sign TOGETHER? The sign _____ is moved in a circle to show that many people are with one another.

- a) with
- b) nothing
- c) learn
- d) exciting

6) Describe the movement for the sign WHEN: One index finger _____ and then lands on the tip of the other index finger which is held upright.

- a) brushes
- b) rubs
- c) hovers over
- d) circles

7) Which handshape is used to sign TOMORROW?

- a) C
- b) S
- c) A
- d) Y

8) In American Sign Language, the body represents the _____ time.

- a) past
- b) present
- c) future
- d) none

- 9) In American Sign Language, the front of the body represents the
- a) past
 - b) present
 - c) future
 - d) none
- 10) In American Sign Language, signing towards the back of the body represents the
- a) past
 - b) present
 - c) future
 - d) none
- 11) When signing MORNING: The moving hand represents the _____.
- a) moon
 - b) horizon
 - c) sun
 - d) land
- 12) When signing MORNING: The flat horizontal arm represents the surface of the _____.
- a) Earth
 - b) sun
 - c) moon
 - d) ocean
- 13) When signing MORNING: The movement of the hand shows the sun coming up over the _____ in the morning.
- a) sun
 - b) moon
 - c) ocean
 - d) horizon
- 14) When signing TIME: The index finger taps the back of the wrist to indicate the _____.
- a) sun
 - b) watch
 - c) time
 - d) wrist
- 15) Which handshape is used to sign the word PERFECT?
- a) S
 - b) Y
 - c) P
 - d) A
- 16) Which TWO of the following English words can also be signed by using sign for PERFECT?
- a) ideal
 - b) good
 - c) perfectly
 - d) poor
 - e) well
 - f) fantastic
- 17) The sign I-MEET-YOU is a variation of the general sign for MEET. In the sign MEET, each of the forefingers represent a _____ and they come together (meet).
- a) school
 - b) place
 - c) sign
 - d) person

18) MEET is also a directional verb sign; this means the sign can move in different _____ to show who is meeting whom.

a) circles

b) directions

c) signs

d) locations

19) The sign MEET can also be used to sign which of the following English phrases?

a) SAME-HERE

b) ME-TOO

c) YOU-AND-ME

d) ME-MEET-YOU

20) Describe the movement for the sign GREAT: Both hands are open and held in front of the _____; the hands are pulled in slightly and then pushed out in an expression of wonder.

a) teacher

b) friends

c) body

d) head