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ASL 101: Lesson 4 - Making Conversations  
Learning the Signs: Guided Reading

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

- 1) How many ways can something be translated from English to ASL?
  - a) only one
  - b) several
  - c) it depends on the sentence
  
- 2) Which handshape is used to make the sign HOW?
  - a) S
  - b) A
  - c) B
  - d) T
  
- 3) The final position for the hands in the sign HOW are palms facing
  - a) inward
  - b) outward
  - c) upward
  - d) downward
  
- 4) Which sign is made by pointing the index finger straight ahead?
  - a) you
  - b) me
  - c) them
  - d) her
  
- 5) The sign FINE is made when the \_\_\_\_\_ touches or taps the middle of the chest with fingers extended.
  - a) index finger
  - b) hand
  - c) elbow
  - d) thumb
  
- 6) The sign GOOD is made the same way as the sign:
  - a) WELL
  - b) HELLO
  - c) HAPPY
  - d) FINE
  
- 7) Which handshape is used to make the sign TODAY?
  - a) A
  - b) Y
  - c) S
  - d) B
  
- 8) The movement for signing TODAY is: the palms face up and move up and \_\_\_\_\_ two or more times.
  - a) around
  - b) over
  - c) down
  - d) sideways

- 9) Which handshape starts the sign for WHAT-DO?
- a) B
  - b) D
  - c) S
  - d) A
- 10) Describe the movement for WHAT-DO: The index finger taps the thumb several time quickly as if you are fingerspelling \_\_\_\_\_ over and over again.
- a) T-O
  - b) D-O
  - c) N-O
  - d) U-H
- 11) In the movement for SIGNING, the hands are moved in alternating \_\_\_\_\_ to represent the movement of hands when a person is signing.
- a) crosses
  - b) zig-zags
  - c) circles
  - d) rhythms
- 12) SIGNING can also be used for the English words SIGN and \_\_\_\_\_.
- a) WORK
  - b) WHAT
  - c) SIGNS
  - d) HANDS
- 13) ALL of the following can be signed using PRACTICE, except for one. Which word is NOT signed using PRACTICE?
- a) PRACTICING
  - b) REHEARSE
  - c) TRAINING
  - d) WORK
- 14) Which handshape is used to sign OH-I-SEE?
- a) A
  - b) S
  - c) Y
  - d) B
- 15) The sign JOIN is a \_\_\_\_\_ verb; the direction in which the sign moves shows who is joining whom.
- a) adverb
  - b) moving
  - c) directional
  - d) helping
- 16) The sign DON'T MIND can also be used to sign all of the following except one. Which English word is NOT signed using DON'T MIND?
- a) DON'T CARE
  - b) INDIFFERENT
  - c) WHATEVER
  - d) NONCHALANT
- 17) The sign PLEASE uses an open hand circling the heart to indicate:
- a) happiness
  - b) sorrow
  - c) thanks
  - d) pleasure

18) Which handshape should you use to begin the sign YOU-JOIN-ME?

- a) Y
- b) A
- c) H
- d) U

19) What handshape does the hand go INTO when signing YOU-JOIN-ME?

- a) O
- b) U
- c) C
- d) D

20) The sign THANK-YOU is similar to the gesture of kissing one's hand and extending the hand towards someone else in order to show one's \_\_\_\_\_.

- a) pleasure
- b) happiness
- c) discomfort
- d) gratitude