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ASL 103: Lesson 10
The Value of Things: Deaf Culture

FILL in the BLANK. Select the best answer from the Word Bank to complete each statement regarding Ten Signs You are Becoming Deaf.

Word Bank	annoyed	background
conversation	Deafness	loss
mumbling	phone	question
radio	repeat	same time
straining	three	TV
women's		

- 1) You find yourself _____ to hear what other people are saying.
- 2) You have a hard time hearing children's and _____ voices.
- 3) People tell you that you have the _____ or _____ volume turned up too high.
- 4) You are often mistakenly off the topic when you respond to a _____ or join in a _____.
- 5) You have difficulty hearing on the _____.
- 6) You have difficulty following conversations when more than two people are talking at the _____.
- 7) You find that people get _____ talking to you.
- 8) You have trouble hearing conversation when there is _____ noise (e.g., on a busy street; in a restaurant; in a crowd).
- 9) It seems like people are _____ when they talk to you.
- 10) You often ask people to _____ what they have said.
- 11) The National Institute on _____ and Other Communication Disorders recommends that you contact a doctor if any _____ of the above signs describe your behavior.
- 12) If three or more of the above signs apply to you but you still do not think you are losing your hearing then how about this sign: You deny having a hearing _____ when people say you do.