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ASL 104: Lesson 5
Talking About Someone: TEST

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

- 1) To sign GO-AHEAD, the hands move forth to indicate that things should _____ (go on).
 - a) continue
 - b) move forward
 - c) finish later
 - d) stop
- 2) Which of the following English words ARE NOT signed using GO-AHEAD?
 - a) CONTINUE
 - b) FORWARD
 - c) GO-ON
 - d) MOVE-AHEAD
 - e) ONWARD
 - f) WENT-AHEAD
- 3) To sign THINKING, the index finger makes a _____ by the forehead.
 - a) tapping sound
 - b) move forward
 - c) small circle
 - d) wagging motion
- 4) The sign THINKING is used when the meaning of THOUGHT is to _____ (e.g., "Give it a lot of thought.")
 - a) wonder about something
 - b) misunderstand something
 - c) work on something
 - d) invent something
- 5) Which TWO of the following English words can also be signed using THINKING?
 - a) UNDERSTAND
 - b) SMART
 - c) THINK
 - d) WONDER
 - e) CRAZY
 - f) THOUGHT
- 6) The sign HEAR is a natural _____ to indicate the concept of hearing something.
 - a) facial expression
 - b) gesture
 - c) posture
 - d) feeling
- 7) Which other English word is signed using HEAR?
 - a) LISTEN
 - b) HEARD
 - c) SOUND
 - d) NOISE
- 8) Which TWO signs are combined to sign MAN?
 - a) BOY
 - b) FATHER
 - c) FRIEND
 - d) HAT
 - e) PERSON
 - f) FINE

- 9) Which handshape is pointing towards the back of the signer, as it is moved back and forth by the chin, to sign RECENTLY?
- a) A
 - b) X
 - c) Y
 - d) R
- 10) In the sign RECENTLY, the hand is moving just slightly towards the back of the body to indicate that something happened _____.
- a) yesterday
 - b) today
 - c) just a little while ago
 - d) just now
- 11) Which of the following English words is NOT signed using RECENTLY?
- a) NOW
 - b) FEW-MOMENTS-AGO
 - c) LATELY
 - d) RECENT
- 12) To sign SOMETIMES, the tip of the right index finger brushes up against the _____ twice
- a) left wrist
 - b) left shoulder
 - c) left cheek
 - d) left palm
- 13) The movement of the hands in BET represents money _____ as in a bet.
- a) being cashed
 - b) taken from the wallet
 - c) in your pocket
 - d) being placed on the table
- 14) Which other English word is signed using BET?
- a) WAGER
 - b) GUESS
 - c) HOPE
 - d) WHATEVER
- 15) INTERNET is a new sign that reflects the growing popularity of _____.
- a) technology
 - b) social media
 - c) the internet
 - d) Facebook
- 16) When signing INTERNET, the middle fingers touch then _____ as the hand moves in a semicircle across the body.
- a) move in a circle
 - b) move side to side
 - c) twist back and forth
 - d) shake up and down
- 17) Go ahead and tell me what you're thinking about. ==> GO-AHEAD TELL-ME WHAT YOU THINKING ABOUT.
- In the ASL translation, Fred signs the sentence _____ to the way it is spoken in English.
- a) different
 - b) not at all like
 - c) similar
 - d) exactly

- 18) The sign GO-AHEAD _____ to the sign GO-to or LET'S-GO.
- a) has no resemblance
 - b) is similar
 - c) is just like
 - d) is identical
- 19) I heard that you met a deaf man in your computer class. ==>
I HEAR IN YOUR COMPUTER CLASS, YOU MEET FINISH DEAF MAN.
Which part of the ASL translation is the topic portion of the topic-comment sentence structure?
- a) I HEAR
 - b) IN YOUR COMPUTER CLASS
 - c) YOU MEET FINISH
 - d) DEAF MAN
- 20) I heard that you met a deaf man in your computer class. ==>
I HEAR IN YOUR COMPUTER CLASS, YOU MEET FINISH DEAF MAN.
Which part of the ASL translation is the comment portion of the topic-comment sentence structure?
- a) YOUR COMPUTER CLASS
 - b) YOU MEET FINISH DEAF MAN
 - c) I HEAR
 - d) YOU MEET FINISH
- 21) I heard that you met a deaf man in your computer class. ==>
I HEAR IN YOUR COMPUTER CLASS, YOU MEET FINISH DEAF MAN.
When you sign this sentence as HEAR IN YOUR COMPUTER CLASS, YOU FINISH MEET DEAF MAN.
Both ASL translations _____.
- a) are confusing
 - b) are in the future
 - c) have the same meaning.
 - d) have a rhetorical question structure
- 22) Yes. He became deaf recently. ==> YES, HE BECAME DEAF RECENTLY.
Where else would it also be correct place the sign marking time [RECENTLY] in the sentence?
- a) in the middle
 - b) it only goes at the end
 - c) it only goes at the beginning
 - d) at the beginning
- 23) Yes. He became deaf recently. ==> YES, HE BECAME DEAF RECENTLY.
What should a signer do when signing YES?
- a) nod the head
 - b) stick out the tongue
 - c) lean forward
 - d) raise the eyebrows
- 24) Do you sign with him? ==> YOU SIGN WITH HIM?
Without the appropriate facial clues for asking a yes/no question, this ASL sentence would be a _____.
- a) information-seeking question
 - b) rhetorical question
 - c) a time-adverb marker
 - d) statement

- 25) Sometimes. We understand each other best when we sign. ==>
SOMETIMES. WHEN TWO-OF-US SIGN, TWO-OF-US UNDERSTAND EACH-OTHER BEST
Which part of the sentence is WHEN TWO-of-us SIGN?
a) comment b) topic
c) wh- question d) condition
- 26) Sometimes. We understand each other best when we sign. ==>
SOMETIMES. WHEN TWO-OF-US SIGN, TWO-OF-US UNDERSTAND EACH-OTHER BEST.
What does Fred use to translate "we" in this sentence?
a) SAME-HERE b) TWO-of-US
c) ALSO d) YOU-and-ME
- 27) Sometimes. We understand each other best when we sign. ==>
SOMETIMES. WHEN TWO-OF-US SIGN, TWO-OF-US UNDERSTAND EACH-OTHER BEST.
Why did Fred use TWO-of-us for "we" instead of "WE?" Sometimes when a person is just talking about himself or herself and one other person, it _____ to use the TWO-of-us sign to convey the concept of 'we.'
a) feels better b) is less confusing
c) is easier to sign d) is a lazy way
- 28) Sometimes. We understand each other best when we sign. ==>
SOMETIMES. WHEN TWO-OF-US SIGN, TWO-OF-US UNDERSTAND EACH-OTHER BEST.
How do you pause slightly after signing the topic? You _____.
a) squint your eyes b) put your hands by your sides
c) hold onto the last sign of the topic d) hold your breath
- 29) I will bet he's learning ASL from the internet. ==> I BET HE LEARNING ASL FROM INTERNET.
What other sentence structure could Sally have used instead to convey the meaning of this translation?
a) wh- question b) information-seeking question
c) rhetorical question d) conditional sentence
- 30) Which handshapes are used to sign MATH?
a) A b) M
c) S d) Y
- 31) What is the orientation of the handshapes when signing MATH?
a) facing up b) facing down
c) facing together d) facing outwards

- 32) When signing MATH, the handshapes brush against each other at the _____.
 a) wrist
 b) chest
 c) cheek
 d) shoulder
- 33) Which other English word can be signed using MATH?
 a) MATHEMATICS
 b) NUMBERS
 c) ALGEBRA
 d) GEOMETRY
- 34) Which handshapes move in alternate circles in front of the body to sign SCIENCE?
 a) S
 b) Y
 c) A
 d) B
- 35) Each hand in SCIENCE represents a _____ and the contents being poured out.
 a) beaker
 b) jar
 c) glass container
 d) test tube
- 36) To sign LONG-AGO, the open hand flaps back two or more times _____.
 a) near the top of the head
 b) over the shoulder
 c) near the chest
 d) over the wrist
- 37) Which of the following English words is NOT signed using LONG-AGO?
 a) PAST
 b) RECENTLY
 c) AGO
 d) BEFORE
- 38) Which TWO signs are combined to sign ONLINE?
 a) ON
 b) INTERNET
 c) WEB
 d) MEDIA
 e) LINE
 f) TECHNOLOGY
- 39) signingonline.com is a combination of the following signs: SIGNING, ON, LINE, DOT (index finger points straight ahead), and C-O-M (which is _____).
 a) shorter version of COME
 b) not necessary
 c) fingerspelled
 d) modified from CON
- 40) I will bet he's learning ASL from the internet. ==> I BET HE LEARNING ASL FROM INTERNET.
 When will you have more options when signing sentences in ASL?
 a) as you surf the internet
 b) when you text
 c) when you join a Deaf club
 d) as your signing improves

41) You're right. He uses the computer a lot. ==> YOU RIGHT. HE USES COMPUTER LOTS.
What is important when you are trying to convey the right meaning of a sentence through facial expressions and body language?

- a) your fingerspelling
- b) correct signing
- c) your imagination
- d) body posture

42) Which organization promotes the interactions of both hearing and Deaf people together?

- a) AARP
- b) Deaflympics
- c) WRAD
- d) Deaf Clubs

43) What is one service WRAD offers to help the general public?

- a) ASL flash cards
- b) sign language interpreters
- c) Deaf clubs
- d) TTYs

44) List TWO countries where there is a national WRAD organization. [2 points]

45) Name TWO sports or recreational activities offered by WRAD. [2 points]
