

## Topic 10: Basic Sign Language for Young Children

### TRAINING REFERENCES

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National Association of the Deaf <http://www.nad.org>

Gallaudet University About American Deaf Culture

[https://www.gallaudet.edu/clerc\\_center/information\\_and\\_resources/info\\_to\\_go/educate\\_children%283\\_to\\_21%29/resources\\_for\\_mainstream\\_programs/effective\\_inclusion/including\\_deaf\\_culture/about\\_american\\_deaf\\_culture.html](https://www.gallaudet.edu/clerc_center/information_and_resources/info_to_go/educate_children%283_to_21%29/resources_for_mainstream_programs/effective_inclusion/including_deaf_culture/about_american_deaf_culture.html)

ASLU-American Sign Language University Resource Site <http://www.lifeprint.com/index.htm>

Including Sign Language in the Early Childhood Classroom by Deborah J. Stewart M.Ed.

<http://www.teachpreschool.org/2010/09/sign-language/>

Impact of Symbolic Gesturing on Early Language Development Susan W. Goodwyn, Linda P. Acredolo and Catherine A. Brown

<http://www.mybabycantalk.com/content/information/research/Impact%20of%20Symbolic%20Gesturing.pdf>

Benefits of Signing to your child By Signing Time <http://www.signingtime.com/faqs/benefits-signing-child/>

#### Resources

Education.com What Sign Language can teach Your Child by Amanda Morin

[http://www.education.com/magazine/article/Sign\\_Language/](http://www.education.com/magazine/article/Sign_Language/)

Signing Babies and Kids in Sign Language <http://www.handspeak.com/blog/>

Signing Time Resources for the Classroom (coloring sheets, songs, rhymes, etc.)

<http://www.signingtime.com/resources/activities/>