AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE · FINGERSPELLING GAMES · GRADES K–3

Fingerspelling Bingo

Two different cards on one page. The caller says a letter: find its handshape and cover it. Four in a row wins.

Name: _____ **Date:** _____



Cut on the dashed line so two players get different cards. The caller says or signs a still letter (not J or Z). Four in a row, across, down or corner to corner, wins!

BINGO — Card 1

BINGO — Card 2

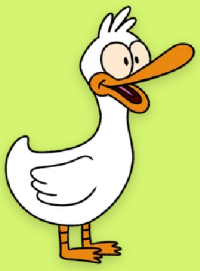
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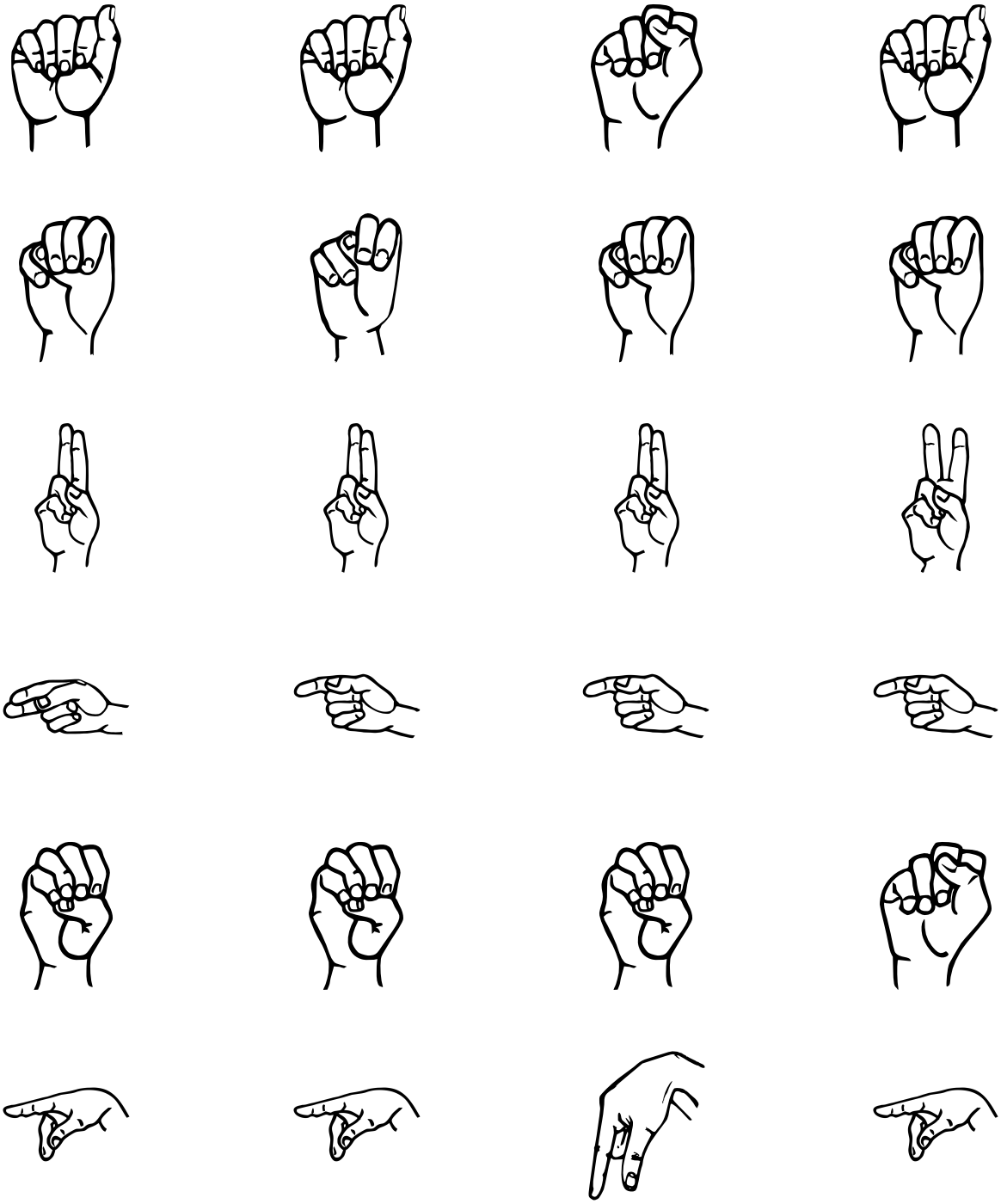
Odd Handshape Out

Three handshapes in each row are the same letter. Circle the one that is different.

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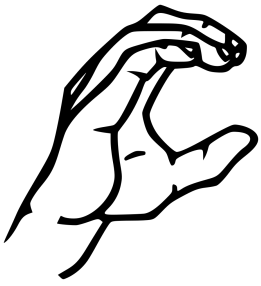
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Handshape Memory Cards

Cut out the cards, turn them face down and match each letter to its handshape.

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

Cut on the dashed lines. Mix the cards and lay them face down. Take turns flipping two cards. Keep them if the handshape matches the letter!

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D	Y	O	
	B	A	
C		V	

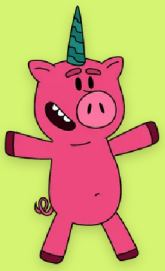
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Fingerspelled Riddles

Each riddle's answer is spelled in handshapes. Read the letters to solve it.

Name: _____ **Date:** _____



Read the riddle. Name the handshapes to find the answer, then write it.

1. What has keys but cannot open a door?



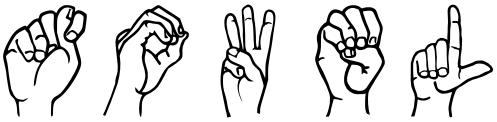
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2. What has hands but cannot clap?



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3. What gets wetter the more it dries?



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4. What has one eye but cannot see?



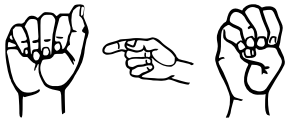
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5. What has a neck but no head?



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6. What goes up but never comes down?



_____

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Handshape Word Search

Each word is fingerspelled in the list. Read it, then find it in the letter grid.

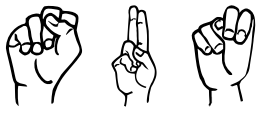
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Read each fingerspelled word. Find it in the grid and check the box.

H	S	I	A	B	F	I	S	H
S	C	U	I	F	I	L	W	R
P	G	A	N	R	H	D	C	U
G	S	B	T	O	E	O	H	A
P	U	T	I	G	N	D	S	O
U	C	M	A	R	O	O	T	W
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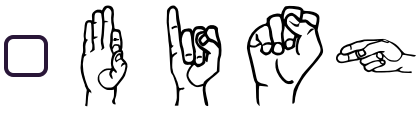
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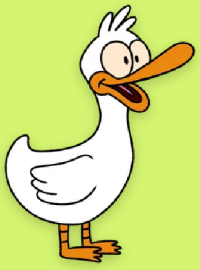
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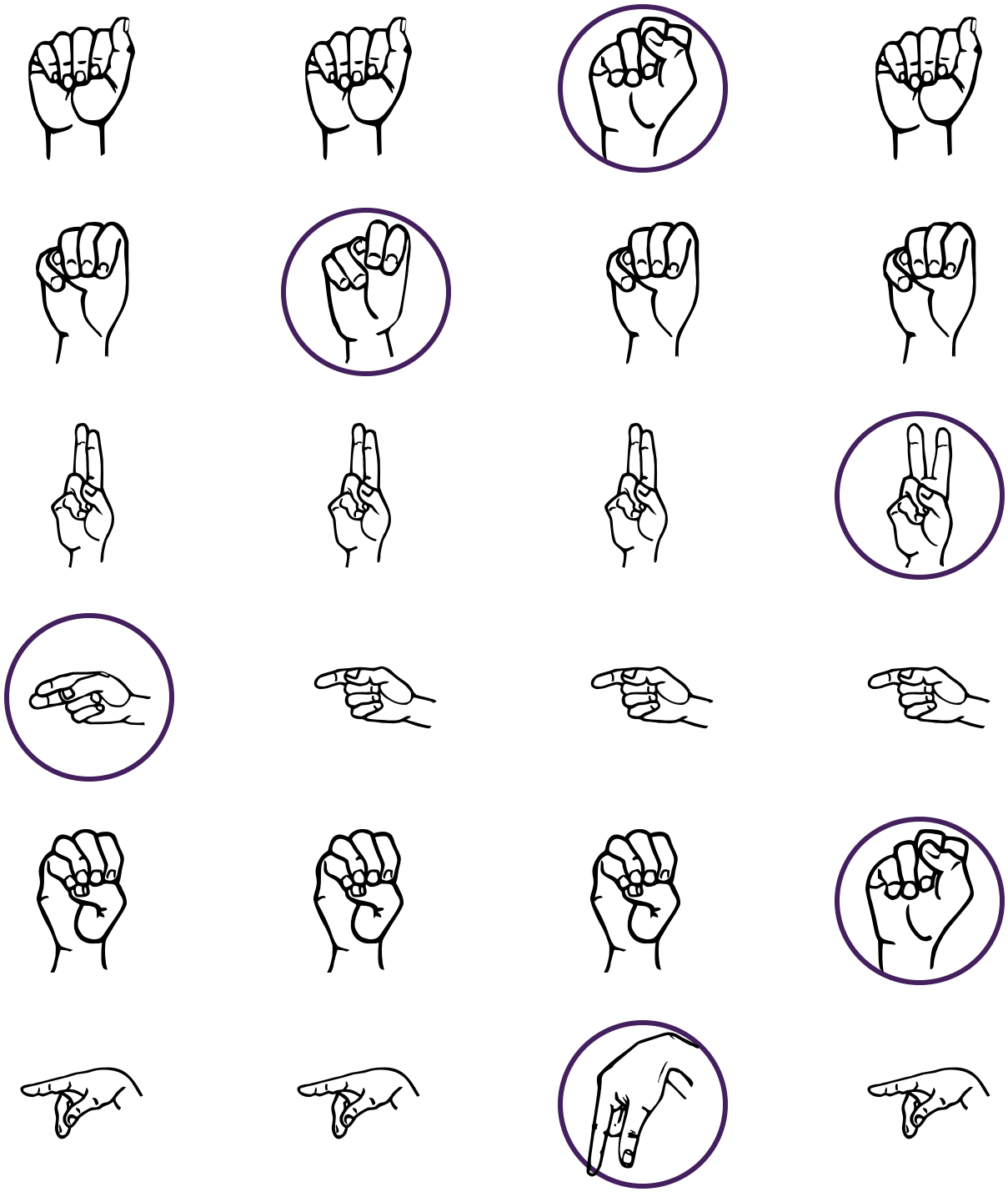
ANSWER KEY · FINGERSPELLING GAMES · GRADES 1–3

Answer Key: Odd Handshape Out

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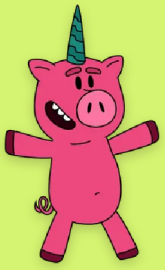


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ANSWER KEY · FINGERSPELLING GAMES · GRADES 2–5

Answer Key: Fingerspelled Riddles

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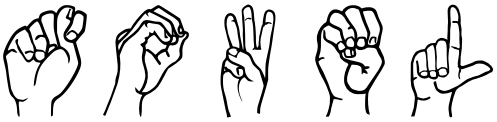
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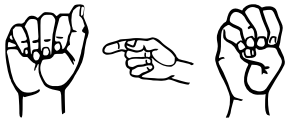
needle

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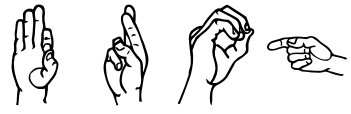
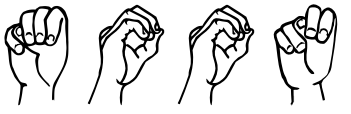
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U	C	M	A	R	O	O	T	W
T	N	W	Y	R	D	G	N	S
A	M	G	R	N	R	Y	N	S
I	M	O	O	N	O	R	N	G

- ☐  CAT
- ☐  SUN
- ☐  BIRD
- ☐  STAR
- ☐  DOG
- ☐  FISH
- ☐  FROG
- ☐  MOON

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