Deaf/Hard of Hearing Program

For Deaf/Hard of Hearing students receiving support in their neighborhood school:

- Please refer to the optional Learning Guides (K-12) that are offered on the Districts website (www.philasd.org) and use the appropriate grade Learning Guide.

For Deaf/Hard of Hearing students receiving support at Bache-Martin Elementary School, John Hancock Demonstration Elementary School or Lincoln High School:

- Please refer to the optional Learning Guides (K-12) that are offered on the Districts website (www.philasd.org) and use the appropriate grade Learning Guide.

Additional resources are below to support learning while at home, please use the link below to access the American Sign Language eBooks:

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1rgAG1vqyU1RAIOZOXsvdyPk0Y4gPN51jOFTqLKN00hw/moblebasic

American Sign Language eBooks: Grades K-5

ASL Storybook Readings: 4 & up

48. RMDS - Ten Timid Ghosts (age 4 & up)
49. CSDToddlers - Taking a Bath with the Dog and Other Things That Make Me Happy (age 4 & up)
50. CSDToddlers - Tuesday (age 4 & up)
51. ASL Nook - The Polar Express (age 4 & up)
52. ASL Nook - Where the Wild Things Are (age 4 & up)
53. RMDS - Where the Wild Things Are (age 4 & up)
54. ASL Nook - Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer (age 4 & up)
55. RMDS - If You Give a Pig a Party (age 4 & up)
56. RMDS - Spots, Feathers, and Curly Tails (age 4 & up)
57. RMDS - Dinosaur Roar! (age 4 & up)
58. RMDS - Snowmen at Night (age 4 & up)
59. RMDS - Move! (age 4 & up)
60. **RMDS - Turkey Trouble** (age 4 & up)
61. **RMDS - Because I Had a Teacher** (age 4 & up)
62. **RMDS - Happy** (age 4 & up)
63. **RMDS - Five Little Monkeys Bake a Birthday Cake** (age 4 & up)
64. **RMDS - I Need My Monster** (age 4 & up)
65. **RMDS - Planting a Rainbow** (age 4 & up)
66. **RMDS - From Head to Toe** (age 4 & up)
67. **RMDS - D.W. Flips!** (age 4 & up)

**ASL Storybook Readings: 5 & up**
68. **ASL Nook - How the Grinch Stole Christmas** (age 5 & up)
69. **RMDS - Summer** (age 5 & up)
70. **RMDS - Three Little Kittens** (age 5 & up)

**ASL Storybook Readings: 6 & up**
71. **RMDS - Blockhead: The Life of Fibonacci** (age 6 & up)
72. **RMDS - Zero the Hero** (age 6 & up)
73. **ASLized! - The Giving Tree** (age 6 & up)
74. **RISE - The Slant Book** (age 7 & up)
   eBook for Apple Devices: [The Slant Book eBook](#)
75. **RMDS - Sir Circumference and the Dragon of Pi** (age 8 & up)

**ASL Storytelling**
1. **RMDS - Math ASL Storytelling: Where the Wild Things Are** (learning three-digit math)
2. **RMDS - Math ASL Storytelling: Hansel & Gretel** (learning subtraction up to 12)
3. **RMDS - Math ASL Storytelling: The Three Little Pigs and the Big Bad Wolf**

**Basic American Sign Language and Vocabulary Resources:**

1. **ASL Nook - Numbers 1 - 20**
2. **ASL Nook - The Alphabet**
3. **ASL Nook - Halloween**
4. **RMDS - Halloween ASL Vocabulary**
5. **ASL Nook - Thanksgiving**
6. **ASL Nook - Christmas**
7. **ASL Nook - Super Bowl**
8. **ASL Nook - Valentine's Day**
9. **ASL Nook - St. Patrick's Day**
10. **ASL Nook - Colors**
11. **ASL Nook - Food**
12. **ASL Nook - Clothes**
13. ASL Nook - Makeup, Hair & Jewelry
14. ASL Nook - Dog Signs
15. ASL Nook - More Animals
16. ASL Nook - Zoo Animals
17. ASL Nook - Sea Animals
18. ASL Nook - Our Earth
19. ASL Nook - Weather
20. ASL Nook - Human Body
21. ASL Nook - Daily Routines
22. ASL Nook - Our Manners
23. ASL Nook - Occupations
24. RMDS - Community Jobs
25. ASL Nook - Our Calendar
26. ASL Nook - Back to School
27. ASL Nook - Around the House
28. ASL Nook - Our Feelings
29. ASL Nook - Sports
30. ASL Nook - Dance & Music
31. ASL Nook - Theatre
32. ASL Nook - Our Activities
33. ASL Nook - Birthday Party
34. ASL Nook - Our Summer Vacation

Deaf Culture Focus

1. ASL Nook - Meet a Deaf Fashion Designer
2. Sorenson - The Deaf Tree
3. ASL Nook - 10 Deaf Children, 1 Powerful Message

Grades 1-5

1. ASL Nook - 50 States
2. ASL Nook - Many Deaf Children, One World
3. ASL Nook - Washington, D.C. Trip
4. ASL Nook - Disney
5. ASL Nook - A Day at the Park
6. ASL Nook - Our Community
7. ASL Nook - Games of Toilet Paper: House Deaf
8. KDES - Superheroes ASL 1 - 10 Handshape Stories
9. ASLized! - The Ungrateful Tiger
10. ASLized! - An Incredible Journey of an Ordinary Egg
Grades 6-8

1. ASL Nook - Idioms
2. RMDS - Magical Pi ASL Song
3. RMDS - What is the Fibonacci Sequence?

Glossary

1. ASLized! - “ASLized innovates and produces authentic resources in American Sign Languages with a commitment to linguistics, literature and education.”
   http://aslized.org/
2. ASL Nook - “A place where everyone can learn ASL.”
   https://aslnook.com/
3. RMDS - Rocky Mountain Deaf School
   https://www.youtube.com/user/RMDSCO/videos
4. RISE - Reading Involves Shared Experiences (Swarthmore/Gallaudet collaboration)
   https://riseebooks.wixsite.com/access
5. KDES - Kendall Demonstration Elementary School
   https://www.youtube.com/user/KDESwildcats/videos
6. CSDToddlers - California School for the Deaf (Fremont)
   https://www.youtube.com/user/CSDECEToddler/videos
Indoor Scavenger Hunt

Collect all of the following items in a bag or basket. Check the boxes as you find each one.

- A toy with wheels
- A book with the first letter of your name in the title
- A pair of matching socks
- 4 things that are green
- Something very soft
- A toy smaller than your hand
- Something round
- A book with numbers in it
- 5 legos that are all different
- A photo of someone you love
- An item you can see yourself in
- An item that makes you feel cozy
- A toy that has 3 different colors
- A movie that has "s" in the title
- Your snuggliest stuffed animal

Ready for snack? Make sure everything gets put back where it belongs!

Outdoor Scavenger Hunt

Collect all of the following items in a bag or basket. Check the boxes as you find each one.

- 5 leaves that look different
- A stick that is longer than your hand
- A rock with spots on it
- A flower
- A flat rock
- 10 blades of grass
- Something you love to play with
- A piece of trash you can recycle
- Something that is brown
- Something that is heavy
- Something that is very light
- Something that needs sun to live
- An item smaller than your thumb
- Something that starts with "m"
- Something that smells good

Ready for snack? Make sure everything
10 FREE LEARNING WEBSITES for kids

Switcheroo Zoo
www.switcheroozoo.com
Watch, listen, and play games to learn all about amazing animals!

Nat Geo for Kids
www.kids.nationalgeographic.com
Learn all about geography and fascinating animals!

Into the Book
www.reading.ecb.org
Go “into the book” to play games that practice reading strategies!

Suessville
www.suessville.com
Read, play games, and hang out with Dr. Seuss and his friends!

Fun Brain
www.funbrain.com
Play games while practicing math and reading skills!

PBS Kids
www.pbs.org
Hang out with your favorite characters all while learning!

Star Fall
www.starfall.com
Practice your phonics skills with these read-along stories!

Storyline Online
www.storylineonline.net
Have some of your favorite stories read to you by movie stars!

Highlights Kids
www.highlightskids.com
Read, play games, and conduct cool science experiments!
1. Follow the teacher’s verbal directions.

Familiar Sounds Audiogram

- A: Dog barking
- B: Truck
- C: Rustling leaves
- D: Birds chirping
- E: Whispering
- F: Vacuuming
- G: Telephone
- H: Watch
- I: Crying
- J: Crying
- K: Kissing
- L: Laughing
- M: Talking
- N: Chewing
- O: Swaying
- P: Whispering
- Q: Whispering
- R: Whispering
- S: Whispering
- T: Whispering
- U: Whispering
- V: Whispering
- W: Whispering
- X: Whispering
- Y: Whispering
- Z: Whispering

[Diagram showing familiar sounds and corresponding frequency levels]
2. Circle all of the possible causes of hearing loss.
   a. Fluid in the middle ear
   b. A kid yelling in your ear
   c. Broken eardrum
   d. Assemblies
   e. Dead nerve endings
3. Write the cause of your hearing loss on the line. __________________________
4. When communicating, what anticipatory (before) strategies do you use to prevent communication breakdowns?
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
5. When communicating, what repair strategies do you use for communication breakdowns?
   (after you notice a communication breakdown)
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
6. Name a reasonable accommodation you would request.
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
7. What might you do if your reasonable accommodations are denied?
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
(If students do not have a hearing aid or cochlear implant, skip this section.)

8. What size batteries does your hearing aid or cochlear implant use?

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9. Draw your hearing aid or cochlear implant in the space below.
What Is an Audiologist?

au-di-o-l-o-gist\ə-dē-„ä-lə-jist\ noun
The health-care professional who specializes in evaluating, diagnosing, treating, and managing hearing loss and balance disorders in adults and children.

ACROSS
1. There are three bones in the middle ear, what is another name for the stirrup?
2. How many parts of ear are there?
3. Sound is measured in what unit?
4. Tympanic membrane is also called what?
5. A person who is deaf may use a ______ implant instead of or with a hearing aid.
6. This instrument is used to look into the ear.
7. This month is National Protect Your Hearing Month.
8. Another term for pitch is?
9. This is the third most common health problem in the United States.
10. This instrument is used to test your hearing.
11. If you have hearing loss and need to hear better, what device would you use? (2 words)
12. ____ is the study of hearing and balance.
13. If you are going to be around loud noises, it is best to put in a pair of these?
14. What is the term for ringing in your ears?
15. What is the organ responsible for your sense of hearing?
16. Who is the health-care provider for hearing problems?
17. Another term for pitch is?

DOWN
1. There are three bones in the middle ear, what is another name for the stirrup?
2. How many parts of ear are there?
3. The portion of the ear that controls balance contains three ______ canals.
4. Sound is measured in what unit?
5. Tympanic membrane is also called what?
6. A person who is deaf may use a ______ implant instead of or with a hearing aid.
7. This instrument is used to look into the ear.
8. This instrument is used to test your hearing.
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### 10 Fun Facts About Hearing

1. Fish do not have ears, but they can hear pressure changes through ridges on their body.
2. The ear’s malleus, incus and stapes (otherwise known as the hammer, anvil and stirrup) are the smallest bones in the human body. All three together could fit together on a penny.
3. The ear continues to hear sounds, even while you sleep.
4. Sound travels at the speed of 1,130 feet per second, or 770 miles per hour.
5. Dogs can hear much higher frequencies than humans.
6. Ears not only help you hear, but also aid in balance.
7. Snakes hear through the jaw bone and through a traditional inner ear. In essence, snakes have two distinct hearing mechanisms, which helps them hear and catch prey.
8. Sitting in front of the speakers at a rock concert can expose you to 120 decibels, which will begin to damage hearing in only 7 1/2 minutes.
9. Thirty-seven percent of children with only minimal hearing loss fail at least one grade.
10. Male mosquitoes hear with thousands of tiny hairs growing on their antennae.

**REFERENCES**

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ASL Finger Spelling Quotes

Can you figure out the famous quote?

Answer

It's kind of fun to do the impossible. (Walt Disney)
ASL Finger Spelling Quotes

Can you figure out the famous quote?

Answer

A committee is twelve men doing the work of one. (John F. Kennedy)
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Can you figure out the famous quote?

Answer

Once you choose hope, anything's possible. (Christopher Reeve)

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How the Body Works

The Ear

Directions: Print out and label the parts of the ear.

WORD BANK
- eardrum
- cochlea
- anvil
- eustachian tube
- stirrup
- auricle
- outer ear canal
- hammer
I Wear Hearing Aids!

Listening Fun

Hearing aid
Ear mold
Receiver

I wear hearing aids.
My hearing aids help me hear.

My FM helps me hear my teacher.
Oh no! My teacher is talking to another teacher and my FM is still on.

I can ask her to turn the FM off.
Oh no! My hearing aid is not working.

It's not working.

I can tell my teacher.
We fixed it! Great work!

My hearing aids help me learn!
I Wear Cochlear Implants!

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