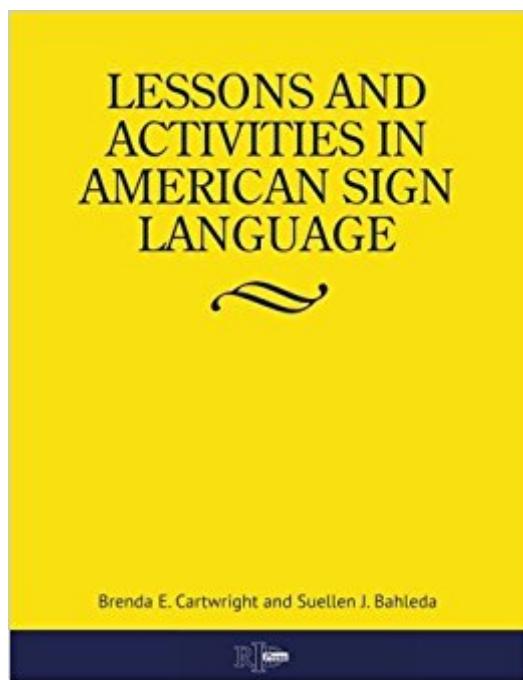


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Lessons And Activities In American Sign Language



Synopsis

The challenge for any language learner is how to move from beyond the dictionary to the wideness and variation of everyday use. This new, practical and comprehensive text features a colorful range of information and practice elements to stimulate conceptual vocabulary development and application. Joining Fingerspelling in American Sign Language, Numbering in American Sign Language, and Multiple Meanings in American Sign Language this fourth text in the Yellow Book series is perfect for use with beginning to intermediate American Sign Language students.

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This is an awesome book. It is a great way to get your feet wet after learning some vocabulary in American Sign Language. I even use some of the age appropriate activities with my kindergarten and first graders during our mini sign language lessons and they enjoy it. It is an easy to follow book that can only enhance your knowledge and help you become more fluid with the language.

I was told to purchase this book for my very first sign class I took. I am so glad I went ahead and bought it! It came in incredibly handy throughout the semester. It was a great reference for me to go back and look at throughout the week and in between classes in case I was curious about what we had learned in a previous class. All in all I am very satisfied with this book and I plan to keep it to look back on when I am in a bind for any of the next sign language classes I take.

Not only is it awesome that the author is the director of the Interpreters program at my college, but the book itself is great. There are tons of practice exercises of different varieties, so you can get plenty of practice on your own or with a friend!

Book was in excellent condition, great for school! Great for studying and group projects.

I took my first American Sign Language course this semester (Intro to Deaf Community) and this book was a requirement for the class. From the first page of this book, we're given a nice introduction into the deeper perspective of ASL, giving a quick run through of what to expect and the wonderful quirks and techniques that ASL requires. This book was beyond helpful, it's like learning to speak and the English language as a kindergartener. This book takes it slow and explains details of the language, like matching facial expressions to what you're signing. The activities in this book make ASL an easier concept to grasp. Activities that were helpful in this book were the practicing of common phrases and questions and probably one of the most entertaining games was called "Memory Madness" which was like playing the "Pyramid" game show while also perfecting our finger-spelling. Along with this book we also were required to purchase 'Introduction to the Deaf Community', I got the 5th edition, and it would be an understatement to say this book was helpful because this book saved my life, the alphabet on the back cover is an awesome touch for the moments that I get forgetful of a letter. The activities were good memory refreshers as well. Brenda E. Cartwright knows how to assure students will pass their courses with her great textbooks.

This text book is a "must-have" if you plan on teaching American Sign Language. The care and thought that was put into each activity and lesson involved was the fruition of years of collective research and the first hand knowledge in a multitude of situations proving what does and does not work for ASL students in a real live classroom. Then it was carefully compiled into a beautifully written, easy to read, easy to follow, easy to teach textbook. This book had not been written yet when I was a first year student in the program, however, I bought it anyway and use it as a

reference guide and apply it to my Mentoring activities. It has been an irreplaceable addition to my reference collection and I highly recommend it.- Heather K. Melkonian

This is a wonderful book for beginning signers! It is full of fun and useful activities to get you used to using the language. This book is also a great tool if you want to study in a group or if you are using it for tutoring or mentoring. If you use this book and do the activities and practices, you will improve a lot. I would highly recommend this book for any beginning sign language user or even people who have been using sign language for a while, but want to improve!

This book is a great way to step up your signing skills! It is a great tool for studying in a group, tutoring, mentoring or even working on your own! I found it very easy to understand and the visuals were also very helpful. The book really helped me think outside the box of how I would sign something. I recommend this book to all signers! It is part of my permanent collection!

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