



#B Term 3 - Lesson 29

Modern Technology - Grade 2

The Victorian Curriculum (F - 2) Strand: Communicating, Sub-strand: Translating (VCASFC134) Strand: Understanding, Sub-strand: Systems of Language (VCASFU138)	The Australian Curriculum (V9 1 - 2) Strand: Communicating meaning in Auslan, Sub-strand: Mediating meaning in and between languages (AC9L2AU2C04)
NSW Syllabus Code(s): Understanding texts in Auslan: Responding to texts (AU1-UND-01)	

Preparation prior to lesson	
-----------------------------	--

Learning Intention	We are learning <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Auslan signs for some modern technology. • The relationship between the technology item and its Auslan sign (iconicity).
--------------------	---

Success Criteria	I can <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognise and correctly sign the signs taught. • Use Auslan signs to describe which modern technology I use at school and at home.
------------------	---

Time	Teacher	Resources
5 mins	Set up the video to watch. Students seated on the floor.	
5 mins	<p>Introduction:</p> <p>Introduce the topic - Modern Technology</p> <p>Today we are learning some technology related Auslan signs. You and your family will probably use these in your daily life at home and at school/work.</p> <p>These have become a regular part of our lives and how we communicate with others.</p> <p>They are fun to learn and you will see how they look-like/remind us of what they represent, e.g. the way we hold and move a 'mouse', the laptop opening, the mobile phone beside the ear etc (Iconicity is when the visual form of the sign resembles/looks like its meaning)</p> <p>Watch as the presenter shows you the signs and teach your family at home.</p> <p>(Start of Lesson)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Read and discuss the Learning Intention and Success Criteria. • Check for understanding, clarifying vocabulary as necessary. 	Provided above
10 mins	<p>Explicit Teaching: Watch the video</p> <p>Use teacher discretion to decide if the class needs to watch any part of the video a second time.</p> <p>Signs taught this lesson: Technology, Computer/Laptop, iPad, Mouse (computer mouse), Internet, email, Mobile phone, Text message (SMS), Facetime, zoom.</p>	Lesson 29 video
5 mins	<p>Explanation of Activity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practice the signs taught today in the class group with the teacher. • Discuss how the signs look like what they represent e.g. the laptop opening, the mobile phone, the mouse (how you hold and move it). • Technology at School <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Which technology do you use at school for your learning? 	

	<p>Practice signing ... <i>school technology laptop learn</i> or <i>school technology iPad read</i>. Make up your own Auslan comments about using technology at school. Don't forget that you can fingerspell if you don't know a sign.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What is the school rule about mobile phones? ... <i>school mobile phone where office</i> (or wherever they are kept during the day for students) <i>teacher desk/table</i>. • The teacher can assist the students with this as required. 	
15 mins	<p>Activity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practice the signs taught today in the class group with the teacher. • Iconicity* - Discuss how the signs look like what they represent e.g. the laptop opening, the mobile phone, the mouse. • School Technology - Practice Auslan comments about use of technology at school. Make up your own to share with the class. <p>*icon - the form (what it looks like) resembles the meaning. iconicity - recognisable.</p>	
5 mins	<p>Reflection with Students: (Select from the following options)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Now that you know what the sign for a mobile phone is, what do you think the sign for a (landline) phone is? • Do you have a favourite modern technology sign, that you like the way it looks or how it feels to do it? • How many of these technology items (taught signs) do you use at school? • How many modern technology items do you use at home? 	

SIGN REFERENCE SHEET:

[Modern Tech pg1.pdf](#)

[Modern Tech pg2.pdf](#)