## Week 9 Assignment: ASL 100L

- 1. Review and memorize vocabulary in <u>Learning American Sign</u>
  <u>Language (LASL)</u> 1-7 and <u>Signing Naturally</u> Units 1-4. Drill yourself on vocabulary until recognition of each sign is automatic. Go over your class notes. If your teacher has taught you any new signs that are not in either book, take time to remember and practice them now.
- 2. Read the glossed representation of the signed dialogues in Unit 7 of Learning American Sign Language (LASL). Work with one dialogue at a time. Copy the signers until you are comfortable signing each dialogue on your own.
- 3. After signing the dialogues, read the grammatical and cultural information and take notes.
- 4. Study information and preview vocabulary in <u>LASL</u>, Unit 8.
- 5. Do not do <u>Signing Naturally</u>, Unit 5 at this time unless your teacher has already introduced vocabulary on the family. We will resume with <u>Signing Naturally</u> after the break. For now, review the grammar and information that you have learned in units 1-4. Remember to practice numbers 1-30 and to practice fingerspelling. Try to sound out the names as you spell them, rather than thinking of each name letter by letter.
- 6. Ask a lab assistant to help you select a video of a signed story or fairy tale that would be appropriate for you to watch. View the story a few times until you feel you understand most of it. Write a paragraph that includes the name of the video and story that you watched. Explain what you learned, what you liked and what you didn't like about watching the story in ASL and e-mail your response to me at <a href="mailto:mbsmith@palomar.edu">mbsmith@palomar.edu</a> or submit to a lab assistant for credit.

Have an excellent week! ☺