Making Inferences Planner Title: American Sign Language

Handout 4

CPQ: How does the author explain how to use American Sign Language?



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| P# | Statement |  | Text Clues | Background Knowledge |
| 841  I do |  | * In the text   (direct)   * In my head (inference) | “Many signs are iconic, meaning the sign uses a visual image resembles the concept it represents.” |  |
| 841  We do |  | * In the text   (direct)   * In my head (inference) | “For instance, to express the concept of ‘deer’ in ASL, you would hold your hand up to either side of your head, fingers spread, to represent antlers.” |  |
| 841  We do |  | * In the text   (direct)   * In my head (inference) | “…if you wished to sign the concept ‘eat,’ you would bring your fingers and thumb of your dominant hand together as if holding food…” |  |
| 842 You do  (TTT) |  | * In the text   (direct)   * In my head (inference) | “ASL alphabet” |  |



