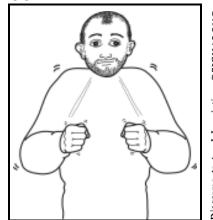
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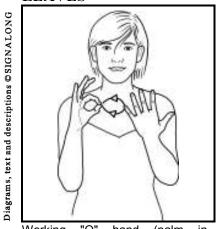
Open hands (palms forward, pointing in/up) make slow alternate inward circles in front of face.

COLD



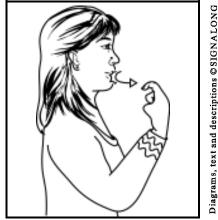
Hunched shoulders, fists in front of body (palms in, pointing forward) mime shivering.

LEAVES



"O" Working hand (palm pointing up) against little finger of supporting open hand (palm back, pointing up); working "O" opens and closes while hand moves out outlining shape of leaf.

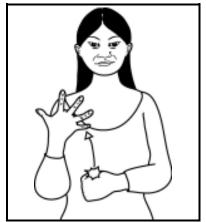
RED



Working index hand (palm back, pointing up) flicks forward off bottom lip changing to "R" hand.

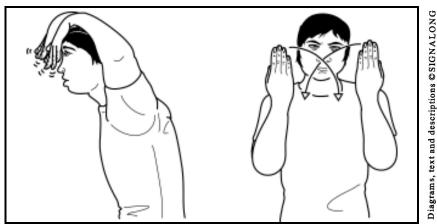
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GOLD



Make letter shape "G"; then working hand springs up changing to open hand (palm back, pointing in/up).

HALLOWE'EN



Open hands (palms back, pointing down) at head height quiver. Body looms forwards to sign "ghost"; then flat hands (palms back, pointing up) held in front and to each side of face, bend towards each other from wrists until hands touch with working hand in front to sign "night".

AUTUMN



Working open hand (palm down, pointing forward/in) moves down to working side from fingertips of supporting flat hand (palm in, pointing up) with fluttering motion.



OCTOBER

Goodbye long, sunny days and hello cold, foggy mornings. Autumn marks the transition from summer into winter. Its main feature is the shedding of leaves from trees as they pave way for further growth. Taking long walks through woodlands encourages conversation about the changes in colour.

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