



WEEK 06: PERSONALITY & EMOTION SIGNS

This week, we'll be delving into the signs that describe personality traits and the emotions we experience daily. The vocabulary comes from the following Learn How To Sign (YouTube Channel) videos:

ASL for Beginners-How to Sign Personality Types: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7hG3qLJjDHo>

100 Family Signs in 5 Minutes: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2ucljARl8TU&t=2s>

PERSONALITY & EMOTION VOCABULARY

CONSIDERATE/FOR OTHERS

SELFISH

FRIENDLY

RUDE

POLITE

ANNOYING

FUN

BORING

FUNNY

GROUCHY/ANGRY

HAPPY

SAD

HARDWORKING

LAZY

LOYAL

GULLIBLE

INTERESTING

MOTIVATED/ENTHUSIASTIC

DEPRESSED

OUTGOING

SHY

TALKATIVE

QUIET

STRONG/FIRM/STEADFAST

WEAK

SMART

STUPID

SWEET

BITTER

POSITIVE/OPTIMISTIC

NEGATIVE/PESSAMISTIC

CALM

EMOTIONAL

SILLY

PROUD/ARROGANT

HUMBLE

EMBARRASSED

PRETTY/BEAUTIFUL

CUTE

UGLY

NICE/KIND

MEAN

HELPFUL

MISCHIEVIOUS

WORRIED

COMPLAIN

STUBBORN

FRUSTRATED

NORMAL

STRANGE/ODD/(init-W) WEIRD

THINGS TO REMEMBER

Many of these words require Non-manual Markers or Signals, which means, your facial expressions should align with the characteristic of the trait you are using. For example, you would have a smile or show happiness when signing 'HAPPY', a sad expression when signing 'SAD', and an angry face when signing 'GROUCHY/ANGRY'.

The face and signs should always agree with each other unless you are being sarcastic, telling a joke or trying to emphasize something to make a point. Then, you would simply choose opposite markers.

PRACTICE SENTENCES

My mom is outgoing and talkative.

Is your Grandpa funny or quiet?

I'm grouchy if I haven't had my morning coffee.

Which personality are you?

I am [Description 1] and [Description 2].

MY MOM OUTGOING (ss) TALKATIVE

YOUR GRANDPA FUNNY (ss) QUIET WHICH (WH-?)

IF MORNING COFFEE NOT-YET ME GROUCHY ME

YOUR PERSONALITY LIST WHAT (WH-?)

ME [Descriptive Sign 1] (ss) [Descriptive Sign 1] ME