Be aware

It’s such fun to show we care
These tips make us deaf aware!

Don’t cover your mouth
Get their attention
Write it down
Use facial expressions
peak don’t shout

www.hearingdogs.org.uk/letshearit
Follow the instructions below and see if you can sing a song in sign language

**RED** – touch first finger to mouth “red lips”

**YELLOW** – flick middle finger out from thumb near ear

**PINK** – rub first two fingers upwards at side of neck (small movement)

**GREEN** – stroke flat hand up opposite upper arm

**ORANGE** – as if squeezing an orange near your mouth

**PURPLE** – make a P shape with your fingers and flick top curved index finger against ball of straight finger on other hand

**BLUE** – two fingers rub opposite wrist - as if to indicate blue veins

**Red and yellow**

**and pink and green,**

**orange and purple**

**and blue.**

**I can sing a rainbow**

**Sing a rainbow**

**Sing a rainbow too.**

Further songs and video instructions can be found at www.hearingdogs.org.uk/letshearit

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Touch & tell whispers

Can you lip-read?

Deaf people often lip-read to understand what people are saying.

Lip-readers look at a person’s face, eyes and mouth to help them understand what is being said.

Try this game...

1. Stand in a circle and choose a child to start (child A).

2. Ask child A to walk over to another pupil (child B) in the circle and tap them on the shoulder.

3. Child A will mouth another classmate’s name in silence to child B.

4. Child B needs to lip-read the name and go and tap the pupil who’s name they think it is on their shoulder.

5. If they are correct, it is then child B’s turn to go and chose someone in the circle and carry on the game!

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‘Pupcakes’

Makes around 24 ‘pupcakes’

Ingredients
- 200g butter or margarine
- 200g caster sugar
- 200g self-raising flour
- 4 eggs
- 1/2 teaspoon baking powder (optional)
- 1 teaspoon vanilla essence (optional)
- Icing sugar and butter for decoration

Preparation: 15 minutes
Cooking: 10–20 minutes
Oven temperature: 180°C / Gas Mark 4

1. Mixing it up
- Ask an adult to preheat the oven.
- Mix the butter and sugar until very light and fluffy. Add the eggs to the mixture one at a time and stir. Add the vanilla essence (optional).
- Carefully stir in the flour (and optional baking powder) bit by bit.
- Place 24 paper cases onto a baking tray and place a tablespoon of cake mix into each case.

2. Time to bake
- Ask an adult to put the baking tray into the oven.
- After 10 minutes ask an adult to help check to see if the ‘pupcakes’ are ready. Poke a cocktail stick into one of the cakes. If it comes out clean, the ‘pupcakes’ are done. If not, leave in the oven for a few minutes more.
- Ask an adult to remove the cakes and leave to cool on a wire rack.

3. Decorating fun!
- Once cool you can have lots of fun decorating your ‘pupcakes’!
- Mix some icing sugar with a little water or butter to create a smooth paste for the top of the cakes. Then why not use some chocolate drops or sweets to make a picture and make your cakes extra tasty! Turn your cakes into ‘pupcakes’ by adding cute puppy faces!

Bake Sale

Why not bake and sell your own ‘Pupcakes’ and help raise some money for Hearing Dogs!

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Design a dog coat!

Our dogs wear their smart burgundy jackets out in public so people can see that the owner is deaf.

But you can design your own fun jacket for a hearing dog to wear on a non-uniform day.

We’d love to see your ideas! Send us your designs by 17 January 2014 and we’ll ask a hearing dog to model our favourite three!

How to design your dog coat

Step 1
Print out or photocopy the dog coat template.

Step 2
Draw, colour, glue or sew materials onto the template to design your perfect coat! Be as creative as you like!

Step 3
Either hold a competition in your class to select your favourite jacket or, if you can’t choose, send us all your coats! Please include your full name, age and school/group address with your design. If selected as one of our top three we’ll ask a hearing dog to model it and feature them in our magazine.

Unfortunately we will not be able to return any entries. The winning jackets will be featured in the spring edition of our Favour magazine and the winning designers will receive a photo of a hearing dog wearing their jacket.

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Let’s hear it

Join us for our event

Date

Time

Location

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£1,000 helps with lifetime support for every hearing dog

£500 helps towards puppy socialising

£250 covers food for a year for a hearing dog

£150 buys a dog grooming kit including brushes, clippers and scissors

£80 provides a puppy starter pack including bed, toys, collar and lead

£30 provides a hearing dog with its uniform

www.hearingdogs.org.uk
Thank you for your support

Please return this form even if you pay your donations directly into our bank account so that we can thank you and keep our records up to date.

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Contact person ..............................................................................................................................................................................

Please find enclosed a cheque for ......................... made payable to Hearing Dogs for Deaf People

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Once completed please send this form and monies along with any sponsorship forms to:
Hearing Dogs for Deaf People, The Grange, Wycombe Road, Saunderton, Princes Risborough, Buckinghamshire, HP27 9NS

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Dear sponsor

Hearing Dogs for Deaf People is a world-leader in training dogs to alert deaf people to important household sounds and danger signals such as the alarm clock, doorbell and smoke alarm in the home, at work and in public buildings – providing a life-changing level of independence, confidence and companionship.

The Charity does not receive any government funding, and so relies entirely on the support of individuals, groups, companies and other organisations to raise vital funds.

There are currently around 750 hearing dog partnerships in the UK, but many more deaf people are waiting to benefit. Your generous support will help us to train more hearing dogs and change many more lives.

Thank you.

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This means an extra 25p for every £1 donated goes to the Charity

Use Gift Aid and you will add 25% to your donation at no extra cost to you. For every £1 you give to us, we will receive an extra 25p from HMRC. Who qualifies for Gift Aid? Anyone who has paid enough income tax or capital gains tax in the current financial year to cover the amount reclaimed by the Charity can use Gift Aid. Simply tick the box to declare: All donations I’ve made to Hearing Dogs for Deaf People in the last four years, and all future donations until I notify you otherwise, are Gift Aid donations.

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