

Name _____ Date Due _____

Baby Sign Language Informational Foldable

Shutter Foldable Directions

Materials:

- 8½ x 11 construction paper

Directions:

1. Begin as if you are going to make a hamburger fold, but instead of folding the paper, pinch it to show the midpoint.
2. Open the sheet. Fold both of the outside edges in to touch the middle mark.



Cover:

Design or locate a picture that will act as your title page. Remember that the picture will be slit up the middle. Also add a “catchy title” to grab the reader’s attention.

Inside:

You may set the information up inside the foldable any way you like but you must research and be sure to include all of the following:

- What is Baby Sign Language?
- Why do parents use baby sign language?
- What are the benefits of using baby sign language for both parents & child?
- What age(s) can a baby start learning it?
- Things to keep in mind if you plan to use or try baby sign language....at least 4
- Include pictures of at least three common baby signs and describe what they mean.
Randomly select the signs you are to include from the teacher.

Back:

- Be sure your name is on the back of the foldable.
- Cite your sources

Rubric:

Criteria	Present	Not Present
Front of foldable definitely displays a Baby Sign Language title & picture (5)		
What is baby sign language? Is answered (5)		
Why parents use baby sign language is explained (5)		
Benefits for parents and child are included (5)		
Age(s) to begin using baby sign language included (5)		
What to keep in mind if planning to use/try baby sign language identified (4)		
3 baby signs illustrations & descriptions included (6)		
Sources Cited (5)		
Free of Spelling/Grammatical Errors (3)		
Neat & Proportional to Page (2)		
Total Points: 45		