

DISCUSSION FOR THE WEEK:

Our group had a lot of discussion about the topics Deaf Community, Deaf Culture and Deaf World. What is it, how can we define it, and who can join Deaf Community, Deaf Culture and Deaf World?

- Do different levels of signers decide who can join or not?
- Can CODA's join?
- Interpreters and other hearing who handle Sign Language well, can they join?
- Deaf who grow up in a hearing environment, but 'discover' the Deaf Community, can they join?

We discussed a lot, and we ended up without a clear definition. But during the time we have left, maybe we will find a definition. In our forum will we add these topics, which is open for ideas from you.

TEAM WORK:

How can we make a good team work?

We were set a task. An experiment where we were supposed to solve a problem. We weren't allowed to communicate with each other by Sign Language, mime, pointing and so on. The progress of the team work was hard. When allowed with some communication, the progress changed for the better. Communication is important. Also it is important to have focus on the group, not on our self.

CONFLICT LEVELS:

Conflict is often when two people do not agree with each other. This is shown in conflicts levels (Uphill). The bottom shows the start of a conflict. And from the bottom to the top level, the conflicts just grows bigger.

We watched an example from the movie "One flew over the Cuckoo's Nest (1975). We learned it easy to get up at the conflict scale, but it was hard to get down to make friends again/or solve the conflict.

