



## The Makaton Charity

### Word list of symbols and signs in National Curriculum

Above	Bend, to (4) (part of body)
Add, to (maths)	Bend, to (5) (part of body)
Adhesive Tape	Best, the
Afternoon	Better
Air	Bigger
Alive	Biggest
All (generic)	Bit, a
Alter, to (1)	Body
Alter, to (2)	Bottle
An	Bottom, the (1) (surface)
And (2) (maths)	Bottom, the (2) (position)
Animal	Branch
Anything	Breath
Arm	Breathe, to
Art	Brick (1) (housebrick)
As (conjunction)	Brick (2)
At	Bridge
Attach, to	Bright
Autumn	Brighter
Away (in the distance)	Bronze
Back, the (1) (surface)	Bud
Back, the (2) (position)	Bulb (1) (electric)
Backwards	Bulb (2) (circuit)
Badly	Bulb (3) (flower)
Balance, a	Bumpy
Balance, to (1) (object)	Burn, to
Balance, to (2) (person)	Burner (1)
Battery	Burner (2) (gas)
Beach	Calmly
Become, to	Canal
Behind	Candle
Below	Cardboard
Bend, to (1) (generic)	Cave
Bend, to (2) (tree)	Ceiling
Bend, to (3) (body)	Centimetre

Centre (1)	Counters
Centre (2)	Cry, to
Change Over, to	Cube
Change, to	Cuboid
Chimney	Cuddle, to
Circle	Cylinder
Circuit (electric)	Daily
Clean, to (objects)	Danger (1) (generic)
Clock (1)	Danger (2) (specific)
Clock (2)	Dangerous (1) (generic)
Clocks (1)	Dangerous (2) (specific)
Clocks (2)	Days of the Week
Close, to (1) (generic)	Deciduous
Close, to (2) (book)	Deduct, to
Close, to (3) (bottle)	Deep
Close, to (4) (box 1) (with lid)	Deeper
Close, to (5) (box 2) (with flaps)	Delete (computer key)
Close, to (6) (bus door)	Depth
Close, to (7) (car door)	Diamond
Close, to (8) (carton) (milk / juice)	Dice
Close, to (9) (cupboard)	Difference
Close, to (10) (door)	Dinosaur
Close, to (11) (newspaper)	Disk
Close, to (12) (purse)	Disk Drive (1) (single)
Close, to (13) (train door 1)	Disk Drive (2) (double)
Close, to (14) (train door 2)	Disk Drive (3) (double)
Close, to (15) (window)	Dissolve to
Cloth (1), a	Divide
Cloth (2)	Divide, to
Clothes (general)	Drama
Clothing	Dress
Cloud	Drive, to (vehicle)
Cloudy	Dry
Coal	Dry, to
Coin	Dull
Coins - 1p, 2p, 5p, 10p, 20p, 50p	Duller
Colourful	Ear
Computing	Earth (1)
Concept Keyboard	Earth (2)
Cone	Eight
Connect, to	Eighteen
Contain, to	Eighty
Cool	Electric
Copy (computer key)	Electricity
Could (conditional)	Eleven
Count, to	Empty (1)

Empty (2) (cylinder)	Forty
Empty, to	Forwards
English	Fossil
Enough	Four
Environment	Fourteen
Equal, to	Friday
Equals (maths)	From
Escape (computer key)	Front, the (1) (surface)
Estimate, to	Front, the (2) (position)
Evening	Frost
Evergreen	Frosty
Everything	Full (1)
Experiment	Full (2) (cylinder)
Experiment, to	Fun
Explain, to	Funny
Explanation	Fur
Eye	Furry
Face	Future
Fact	Gale
Far (in the distance)	Game, a
Farm	Gas
Fat (person)	Geography
Fatter	Get, to
Feel, to (1)	Glass (sheet / piece of)
Feel, to (2) (emotional / physical sensation)	Glue (1) (pot of)
Fence	Glue (2) (stick of)
Fiction	Glue (3) (tube of)
Field	Glue, to
Fifteen	Gold
Fifty	Gram
Fill, to	Grass
Firstly	Grassy
Five	Greater Than
Fix, to	Grey
Flame, a	Ground
Fleece	Guess, to
Float, to	Had to (past tense)
Flood	Hail
Floor	Hailing
Flowery	Hair
Fluff	Half (portion)
Fluffy	Half Full (1)
Fog	Half Full (2) (cylinder)
Foggy	Hand
Foot	Harbour
Forest	Hat (1)

Hat (2)	Leftover
Hat (3)	Leg
Head	Length (distance)
Heavier	Length (time)
Heaviest	Less
Height	Less Than
Herself (reflexive pronoun)	Lie Down, to
Hexagon	Life
Hide	Light (2) (weight)
High	Lighter
Higher	Lightest
Hill	Lightning
Hilly	Litre
Himself (reflexive pronoun)	Litter
History	Little (2)
Hold, to (1) (generic)	Live, to (1) (to dwell)
Hold, to (2) (person)	Live, to (2) (to exist)
Hold, to (3) (hands)	Live, to (3) (to dwell) (human)
Hold, to (4) (object)	Live, to (4) (to dwell) (animal)
Ice	Live, to (5) (to dwell) (underground)
Ice Block	Live, to (6) (to exist) (human)
Ice Cube	Live, to (7) (to exist) (animal)
Icy	Live, to (8) (to exist) (plants)
If (conjunction)	long (length)
Imagination	long (time)
Imagine, to	Longer (length)
In Front Of	Longer (time)
Information Technology	Longest (length)
Invent, to	Longest (time)
Invention	Loud (adjective)
Itself (reflexive pronoun)	Loudly
Join, to	Low
Joystick	Lower
Keep, to (retain)	Machine
Kilogram	Magnet (1) (bar)
Kitchen Range	Magnet (2) (horseshoe)
Ladder	Makaton
Lake	Make Believe, to
Laugh, to	Map
Leaf	Material
Leafy	Mathematics
Learn, to	Mauve
Least, the	Meadow
Leather	Mean, to
Leaves	Meaning
Left (computer key) (direction)	Measure, to (1) (length, height, width, depth)

Measure, to (2) (volume)	Nought
Melt, to	Number, a
Mend, to	Numbers (1-10)
Metal	Numbers (11-43)
Metre	Numbers (50-100)
Midday	Of
Middle (1)	Oil (fuel)
Middle (2)	Oil Lamp (1)
Middle (3) (of a sequence)	Oil Lamp (2)
Might (1) (conditional)	One
Might (2) (past tense)	One Hundred
Millilitre	Open, to (1) (generic)
Minus	Open, to (2) (book)
Mist	Open, to (3) (bottle)
Misty	Open, to (4) (box 1) (with lid)
Mix, to	Open, to (5) (box 2) (with flaps)
Modern Foreign Languages	Open, to (6) (bus door)
Monday	Open, to (7) (car door)
Monkey	Open, to (8) (carton) (milk / juice)
Month	Open, to (9) (cupboard)
Monthly	Open, to (10) (door)
More (2)	Open, to (11) (newspaper)
More Than	Open, to (12) (purse)
Morning	Open, to (13) (train door 1)
Most, the	Open, to (14) (train door 2)
Mountain	Open, to (15) (window)
Mouse (computer)	Open, to (16) (letter)
Mouth	Order
Much	Ought (2) (past tense)
Mud	Ourselves (1) (reflexive pronoun, 2 people)
Muddy	Ourselves (2) (reflexive pronoun, more than 2 people)
Multiply	Out Of
Multiply, to	Oval
Museum	Oven
Myself (reflexive pronoun)	Overflow, to
Narrow	Painful
Narrower	Painfully
Narrowly	Past, the
Nasty	Patiently
Nine	Pentagon
Nineteen	Physical Education
Ninety	Piece Of, a
Noise	Pink
Noon	Pint
Nose	Plant, a
Nothing	

Plant, to (1) (plants / trees)  
 Plant, to (2) (bulbs / seeds)  
 Plastic (material)  
 Plus  
 Point, to  
 Pointed  
 Pond  
 Pour, to  
 Present, the  
 Pretend, to  
 Prickly  
 Print (computer key)  
 Print, to  
 Printer (computer)  
 Prism  
 Puddle  
 Pull, to (1) (generic)  
 Pull, to (2)  
 Purple  
 Purse  
 Push, to (1) (generic)  
 Push, to (2)  
 Put On, to (1) (coat)  
 Put On, to (2) (lid)  
 Quarter (portion)  
 Quiet (1) (sound) (adjective)  
 Quiet (2) (generic) (adjective)  
 Quiet (3) (adjective)  
 Quietly (1)  
 Quietly (2)  
 Quietly (3)  
 Rainbow  
 Rainy  
 Reach For, to  
 Real  
 Record Player  
 Record, a  
 Rectangle  
 Religious Education  
 Remainder (maths)  
 Return (computer key)  
 Ridged  
 Ridges  
 Right (computer key) (direction)  
 River  
 Rocks

Rocky  
 Roll Over, to  
 Roll, to (objects / person)  
 Roof  
 Roots  
 Rough  
 Round  
 Rubber (material)  
 Rubbish  
 Scales (1) (kitchen)  
 Scales (2) (bathroom)  
 Science  
 Seasons, the  
 Seeds  
 Self  
 Sequence  
 Seven  
 Seventeen  
 Seventy  
 Sh... (1) (generic) (adjective)  
 Sh... (2) (adjective)  
 Shadow  
 Shadowy  
 Shallow  
 Shallower  
 Shape, a  
 Sharp  
 Shine, to  
 Shiny  
 Ship  
 Shoe  
 Short (1) (height)  
 Short (2) (length)  
 Short (3) (time)  
 Shorter (1) (height)  
 Shorter (2) (length)  
 Shorter (3) (time)  
 Shortest (1) (height)  
 Shortest (2) (length)  
 Shortest (3) (time)  
 Should (1) (past tense)  
 Should (2) (conditional)  
 Show, to  
 Side, the (1) (surface) (left)  
 Side, the (2) (surface) (right)  
 Side, the (3) (position) (left)

Side, the (4) (position) (right)  
Sideways  
Sign, a  
Sign, to  
Silver  
Sink, to  
Sink, a  
Six  
Sixteen  
Size  
Skin  
Sleet  
Sleeting  
Slip, to  
Smaller  
Smallest  
Smell, a  
Smell, to  
Smile, to  
Smooth  
Snowy  
Sock  
Soft (1) (sound)  
Softly (1) (sound)  
Softly (2) (feel)  
Soil  
Something  
Sound  
Space (computer key)  
Sphere  
Spring (season)  
Square  
Squeeze, to (1) (generic)  
Squeeze, to (2)  
Stem  
Stick  
Stick, to  
Stir, to (1) (generic)  
Stir, to (2)  
Stones  
Stoney  
Storm  
Stormy  
Story, a  
Straw (1) (material)  
Straw (2) (drinking)

Stream  
Stretch, to (1) (generic)  
Stretch, to (2)  
Stroke, to  
Subtract, to  
Summer  
Sunny  
Sunrise  
Sunset  
Sunshine  
Switch (1) (round)  
Switch (2) (square)  
Switch Off, to  
Switch On, to  
Symbol, a  
Symbol, to  
Take Away, to  
Take Off, to (1) (coat)  
Take Off, to (2) (lid)  
Take, to (gain possession)  
Tall  
Taller  
Tape (audio)  
Tapes (audio)  
Taste, the  
Taste, to  
Technology  
Temperature  
Ten  
Than  
That (2) (relative)  
Themselves (1) (reflexive pronoun, 2 people)  
Themselves (2) (reflexive pronoun, more than 2 people)  
Then (1) (adverb past)  
Then (2) (adverb future)  
Thick  
Thicker  
Thin (1) (object)  
Thin (2) (person)  
Thing, a  
Things  
Thinner (1) (object)  
Thinner (2) (person)  
Thirteen  
Thirty

Three	Was Able (past tense)
Three Quarters (portion)	Wash, to (objects)
Thunder	Washtub
Thundery	Waste
Thursday	Weather
Too	Wednesday
Top, the (1) (surface)	Week (1)
Top, the (2) (position)	Week (2) (calendar week)
Touch Screen	Weekdays (Monday - Friday)
Touch Switch	Weekend
Touch, to	Weekly
Transport	Weigh, to (1) (with a balance)
Triangle	Weigh, to (2) (with kitchen scales)
Trunk (of tree)	Weigh, to (3) (person)
Trunks (of trees)	Weights
Try, to	Were Able (past tense)
Tube, a	Wet
Tuesday	Whole (portion)
Turn Over, to	Wide
Turn, to (1) (direction)	Wider
Turn, to (2) (direction)	Widest
Twelve	Width
Twenty	Winter
Twenty Eight	Wire
Twenty Five	Wood (material)
Twenty Four	Woods
Twenty Nine	Wool (1)
Twenty One	Wool (2) (fabric)
Twenty Seven	Woollen (fabric)
Twenty Six	World
Twenty Three	Worse
Twenty Two	Worst, the
Twig	Would (1) (past tense)
Two	Would (2) (conditional)
Uneven	Year
Use, to	Yearly
Valley	Yourself (reflexive pronoun)
Very	Yourselves (1) (reflexive pronoun, 2 people)
Village	Yourselves (2) (reflexive pronoun, more than 2 people)
Volcano	Yuk
Wall (1) (inside)	Zero
Wall (2) (outside)	Zoo
Warm	