

This is because you read each letter as a person spells it. Fingerspelling is like reading a word in a storybook. Once you get used to fingerspelling words, building your skills, you would need to build on reading the fingerspelled letters as they form into a word. If one reads a fingerspelled word like for example, B-L-U-E, one would be unable to grasp the concept of each letter because one is reading each letter rather than seeing BLUE. The same principle applies for a child learning to read; he/she is learning each letter and putting them together to form a word. This is a good way to practice reading and using fingerspelling.