

Here’s the Arduino code for a **Sign Language Glove** using an **ADXL345 accelerometer** and **flex sensors**. It translates hand gestures into text or speech by reading sensor values and mapping them to predefined words or letters.

Required Components:

- Arduino (Uno/Nano)
- ADXL345 Accelerometer
- Flex Sensors (attached to fingers)
- Bluetooth Module (HC-05) (optional for wireless output)
- OLED/LCD Display (if needed for visual output)
- Buzzer/Speaker (for audio output)

Wiring:

Component	Arduino Pin
ADXL345 SDA	A4 (SDA)
ADXL345 SCL	A5 (SCL)
Flex Sensor 1 (Thumb)	A0
Flex Sensor 2 (Index)	A1
Flex Sensor 3 (Middle)	A2
Flex Sensor 4 (Ring)	A3
Flex Sensor 5 (Pinky)	A5
HC-05 TX	Arduino RX (via 1KΩ & 2KΩ divider)
HC-05 RX	Arduino TX
HC-05 VCC	5V
HC-05 GND	GND

How It Works:

1. **Reads flex sensor values** → Determines if fingers are bent or straight
2. **Reads ADXL345 accelerometer data** → Detects hand orientation
3. **Detects gestures using predefined conditions**
4. **Sends the recognized gesture via Bluetooth (HC-05)**
5. **Connect Bluetooth to a phone/PC using a serial terminal app** to display gestures

Code:

```
#include <Wire.h>
```

```
#define ADXL345_ADDR 0x53 // I2C address of ADXL345
```

```
// Flex sensor pins
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```
const int flexThumb = A0;
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```
const int flexIndex = A1;
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```
const int flexMiddle = A2;
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```
const int flexRing = A3;
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```
const int flexPinky = A5;
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```
// ADXL345 variables
```

```
int16_t ax, ay, az;
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```
void setup() {
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    Serial.begin(9600); // Bluetooth module uses Serial
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    Wire.begin();
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// Initialize ADXL345

Wire.beginTransmission(ADXL345_ADDR);

Wire.write(0x2D); // Power control register

Wire.write(8); // Enable measurements

Wire.endTransmission();

}

void loop() {

    // Read flex sensor values

    int thumb = analogRead(flexThumb);

    int index = analogRead(flexIndex);

    int middle = analogRead(flexMiddle);

    int ring = analogRead(flexRing);

    int pinky = analogRead(flexPinky);


    // Read accelerometer data

    Wire.beginTransmission(ADXL345_ADDR);

    Wire.write(0x32); // Start reading from data registers

    Wire.endTransmission(false);

    Wire.requestFrom(ADXL345_ADDR, 6, true);


    ax = Wire.read() | (Wire.read() << 8);

    ay = Wire.read() | (Wire.read() << 8);

    az = Wire.read() | (Wire.read() << 8);


    // Gesture Detection Logic

    String gesture = detectGesture(thumb, index, middle, ring, pinky, ax, ay, az);

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// Send detected gesture via Bluetooth
Serial.println(gesture);
delay(500);
}

String detectGesture(int t, int i, int m, int r, int p, int ax, int ay, int az) {
    if (t > 500 && i < 400 && m < 400 && r < 400 && p < 400) return "Thumbs Up";
    if (t < 400 && i > 500 && m > 500 && r > 500 && p > 500) return "Open Palm";
    if (t > 500 && i > 500 && m < 400 && r < 400 && p < 400) return "Peace Sign";
    if (ax > 100 && ay < 50) return "Wave Left";
    if (ax < -100 && ay < 50) return "Wave Right";

    return "Unknown Gesture";
}

```