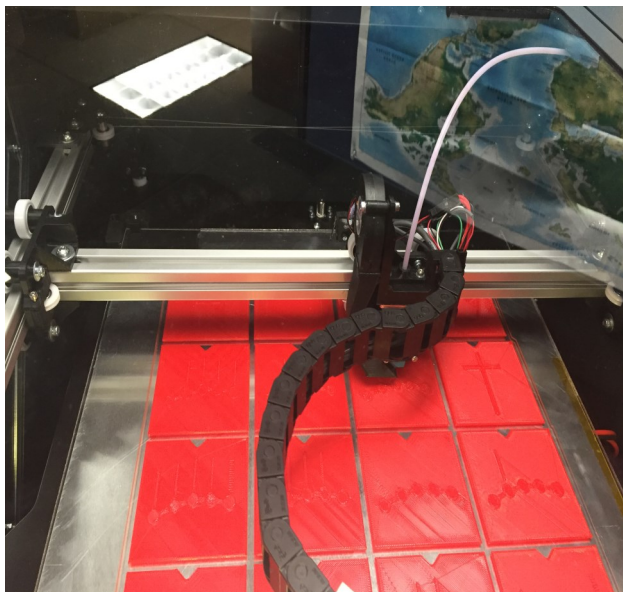


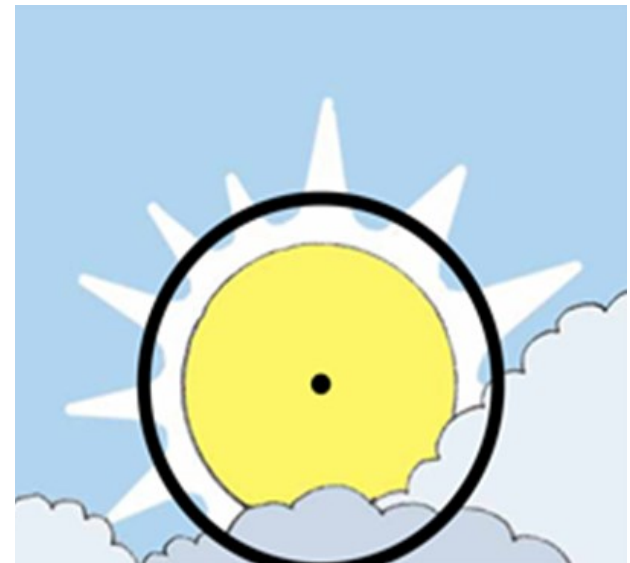
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A 3D printer prints the symbols for the Deafblind.

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SUN Symbolic Universal Notation



What is SUN?



Did you know...

There are 600,000 people in the world who are both deaf AND blind?

Approximately 80% of the world's 70 million Deaf do not have any access to education. Only about 1-2% of the Deaf get education in sign language.

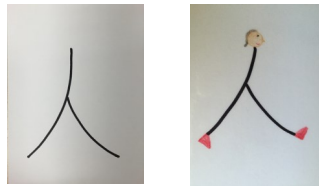
-World Federation of the Deaf

SUN (Symbolic Universal Notation) brings Scripture to the Deaf as well as the Deafblind who do not know how to read or sign. Using a symbolic system of writing, the Deaf who are not educated in sign language as well as the Deafblind can read God's word for themselves.

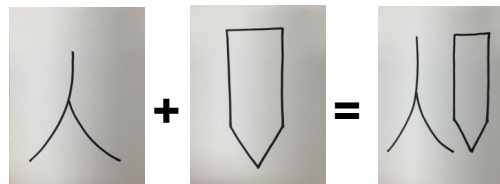
The Tool

SUN is a symbolic representation of all the words in Scripture. It consists of a small group of universally recognized symbols that are then combined or altered to make additional symbols which are called extensions. The symbols in SUN are taught using illustrations to improve retention.

Here is an example of the symbol for "person."



The symbol "person" is combined with the symbol "pen/write" to make a new symbol, "writer/scribe/author".



Does This Work?



Sandra

- 14 year-old
- Born deaf
- Non-communicative
- No education
- Able to read Scripture after 3 days of instruction
- Made a salvation decision after reading Scripture

Ganush

- 18 years old
- Born deaf and blind
- No education
- Able to read 3D Scripture after 4 days of instruction