

LEVEL THE PLAYING FIELD FOR INCLUSION

10 THINGS COACHES
AND INSTRUCTORS
CAN DO TO HELP
DEAF AND HARD OF
HEARING KIDS FEEL
ACCEPTED AND
INCLUDED

Introduce yourself
to the child and
their family

Find out how best
to communicate
with the child

Learn some helpful
Auslan signs

Give them a copy
of your rules

Face the child when
you're speaking

Use visual aids like
photos and flags

Write your lesson
plan on a
whiteboard

Act out your
instructions and
use gestures

Make eye contact
before you speak

Check everyone
has understood
your instructions



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to refer to all degrees and types of hearing loss.
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