

Following are some American Indian sign language gestures that are related to water (Mallery, 2006):

- Water: Right hand lifted cup-shaped to mouth—*water*.
- Drink: Move your cupped hand near the mouth
- Cry: trace tracks of tears down the face
- Lake: Both hands brought forward, palms down, arms passed outward horizontally to respective sides, palms down—*lake*.
- Paddling in canoe: Motion of *paddling*
- River or Stream: passing the horizontal flat hand, palm down, forward and to the left from the right side in a serpentine manner.

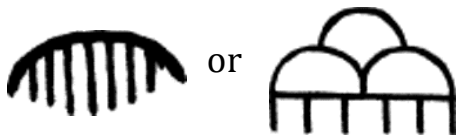
Below are symbols for different forms of water or water related things:



Water



Lake



or

Rain



Many Fish