

The Hand Graphic Organizer

1. Have students trace their right hand (or their left hand palm up). The idea is make sure the thumb is on the left.



2. Write in the subject pronouns at the top of each finger, where the fingernail would be. 3 of the subject pronouns relate perfectly with the imagery of the hand. Start with the thumb. The thumb stands for “Yo” because you can use your thumb to point back at yourself. The index finger is “Tú” because you can use your index finger to point to someone that you are talking to. And lastly, the ring finger stands for “Nosotros” because when you wear a ring, it symbolizes your relationship with someone else, “me and someone” equals “we”. Go ahead and add “él, ella, usted” to the middle finger (nothing to note on this one!!) and “ellos, ellas, ustedes” on the pinky. Some students have come up with you make a “pinky promise” with “other people”.

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