

*Dancing Hands: A Story of  
Friendship in Filipino Sign Language*

VOCABULARY

Word	Student-friendly definition
neighbor	someone who lives next door
dancing	moving to the music
speak	another word for “talk”
hands	you use your ___ to grab things
expression	your ___ lets people know what you’re feeling
understand	to hear, learn, or be told
communicate	to be able to talk with someone, with or without words
describe	to tell someone what something looks, smells, or sounds like
dream	thoughts, pictures, or feelings during sleep
protector	someone who takes care of you
teacher	someone who helps you learn
earth	the planet where we live
friend	someone you enjoy doing things with