



Signs your child may need speech or language intervention

- ✓ Trouble making eye contact
- ✓ Struggles following directions
- ✓ Echos/repeats back what was said instead of answering questions
- ✓ Has under 50 words at age 2
- ✓ Unable to play with toys appropriately
- ✓ Unable to use yes/no
- ✓ Struggles to recognize common objects by name
- ✓ Answers to questions don't make sense
- ✓ Difficulty retelling a story
- ✓ Unclear speech
- ✓ At 2 years old child is unable to point to body parts
- ✓ Isn't acquiring new words/vocabulary on a regular basis
- ✓ Isn't waving hi and bye
- ✓ Doesn't respond when you call them
- ✓ Has a hard time imitating sounds and words
- ✓ Has a hard time asking questions or verbalizing their needs/wants
- ✓ Unable to maintain a conversation
- ✓ Struggles reading body language
- ✓ Gets upset with change in routine
- ✓ Limited sound repertoire
- ✓ Groping for tongue and lip placement when trying to imitate sounds/words
- ✓ Difficulty chewing-swallowing
- ✓ Messy eater
- ✓ Unable to tell you their name (age 2)
- ✓ Stuttering/dysfluent after age 5
- ✓ Picky eater and/or difficulty with textures.
- ✓ Unable to point to pictures when named in a book
- ✓ Answer who, what and where questions by age 3
- ✓ Disorganized sentences, difficulty with pronouns, function words