



Top Tips

Look at the person talking.

Turn off background noise.

Give wait time


Take dummy out

Talk about places and experiences.



Help at home

Listen

Put your phone  down and model good eye contact.

Show your child you are interested in what they are saying by commenting on their information.



Communication skills

Talk whilst cooking tea

Tell your child the names of the food you are using. **“I am chopping the carrots” “I am slicing the potatoes”**

Talk about how much you need. **“I need 2 tomatoes, I've got 5. That's too many! I need to put some back”**

Ask your child about quantities. **“Is this enough rice, no I need more!”**

Sing Nursery Rhymes

Twinkle, twinkle little star

Baa, Baa black sheep

Humpty Dumpty

1 little, 2 little, 3 little fingers

The Grand Old Duke of York

Incy Wincy Spider



Play games & Recast

I-spy, snap.

Make funny voice sounds for your child to copy.

Repeat your child's words and phrases back to them with accuracy.

