## Guidance for parents



## Website links for Parents and Carers to support Communication and Language

Speech, language and communication skills are the building blocks for learning and these skills support children's cognitive, social and emotional well-being. Some children may need further support in this area and therefore we have provided links below to enable you as parents and carers to support your child at home.

• Solihull Speech, Language and Communication team - Parents Information and Activities

Activities and resources to support your child's speech and language skills.

## Tiny Happy People

Tips and advice for parents as well as ideas and activities to support language development.

Words for Life - National Literacy Trust

Words for Life provides parents/carers and children with activities and support to improve their language, literacy and communication skills from home.

Stoke Speaks Out

Ideas, activities and advice to support children's development.

• <u>Support During COVID 19 Children's Speech and language resources</u>

Click on the 'positive action' tab at the bottom of the page for some lovely home learning ideas to support speech and language.



- The Communication Trust Resources for parents
   Information, top tips and resources for parents/carers to support communication skills.
- <u>Parents (ican.org.uk)</u>
   Information, resources and factsheets for parents/carers to help children develop their speech, language and communication skills.
- Advice sheets: Children and Family Health Surrey NHS
   Advice and ideas to support different aspects of communication and language.
- <u>Parent Portal | Home (speechandlanguage.info)</u>
   Advice, information and activities for parents/carers to support the development of children's communication and language skills.
- Supporting speech and language during lockdown: Maple Therapy

  Advice and activities to support communication skills with children.
- <u>Activities to develop Speech and Language Skills (icommunicatetherapy.com)</u>
   Activities and advice for developing and improving your child's speech and language skills.
- Speech and Language Therapy Resources Herefordshire and Worcestershire NHS

Activity ideas and resources to support speech and language at home.