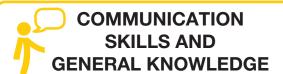
Supporting children to develop communication skills and general knowledge



Our Children
Our Communities
Our Future

The important adults in children's lives influence their development when they interact with them. Each interaction stimulates the child's developing brain and builds the foundations for their future.

Adults can support children's communications skills in lots of ways. Look at the ideas below to think about how you can make a positive impact.



Children who are successful learners are able to communicate their needs and thoughts to adults and other children.

Children become confident communicators by:



Children learn about their world by:



Parents can best support children's development in communication skills and general knowledge when they:

- Have access to quality early learning environments
- Are supported and have time to spend with their children

Who can help:

Where you can get more information:



www.raisingchildren.net.au www.letsread.com.au

- Connect to your local playgroup
- Visit your local library and explore what they have for children
- Talk to your maternal child health nurse, GP or a speech pathologist
- Talk to your children's early years educators