

Speech and Language Therapy – applications on your tablet/smartphone

FOR FREE:

- **Animated kids songs:** nursery rhymes giving both visual and auditory feedback!
First sounds for toddlers: learning about different animal sounds
- **Toca kitchen monsters:** A fun game giving monsters different type of foods.
- **Talking Ginger/Talking Ben/Talking Tom:** These applications give your own voice as feedback! It helps children build sentences and develop their vocabulary as well as give them opportunities to explore their own voice if they lack confidence in communicating.
- **Autism i help** applications: If you type in **autism i help** into the app store, you can choose any of the following: WH questions, comprehension, colour vocabulary, opposites, language concepts, same/different, shapes, rhyming words.
- **Super Duper Publications** applications: Let's name things fundec - this focuses on developing vocabulary.
- **Simple sentence builder:** this application helps children make simple sentences including a Subject, Verb and Object, e.g. the boy is kicking the football.
- **Toontastic:** This story telling application helps children create 3-part, 5-part or complex narratives!

REQUIRES PAYMENT:

- **I can do** applications (£4.99 each): If you type in 'I can do' into the app store, you can choose any of the following: following directions, categories, rhyming, starting sounds, associations, verbs, same or different, emotions, object identification.
- **Guess what? / Guess who?** (£3.99)- This application gives semantic (meaning of the word) clues to finding the word, which is useful in vocabulary development or if your child shows word finding difficulties.
- **Action words** (£0.99): lots of action pictures to build sentences together! Ask your child what is happening in the picture and support them to creating a logical sentence with a Subject, Verb and Object, e.g. the girl is washing the dog.
- **Touch and learn - emotions** (£1.99): lots of pictures depicting different emotions! Ask your child what the person in the picture may feel, practice matching the facial expressions yourself and try and relate it back to a time when you and your child felt those emotions.
- **Super Duper publications** (£2.99 each): practicing pragmatics fun deck: social skills, irregular verbs fun deck, regular past tense verbs fun deck, WH-questions at home fundeck + many more!
- **Articulate multisyllabic** (£4.99): practicing articulation of multisyllabic words.
- **Articulation station** (£28.99): A highly reputable app on learning how to produce sounds on their own, in words or in sentences within fun-filled activities.
- **Word vault** (£4.49 per month or £42 for the year): the all encompassing tool for parents, teachers and professionals to teach articulation, understanding and spoken language, phonology, and social skills.

* The prices and applications above were taken from the Apple App Store. Many may be the same if you have an android. However, please be aware of this if you have an android and you are unable to find the applications mentioned above.