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**Relationship Based/Collaborative
Approach to Speech and Language
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**Speech & Language Diagnostic
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Therapy**

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Collaboration**

Book Clubs

Comprehensive SLP offers Diagnostic, individualized Therapeutic and Consultative services to children aged 18 months through high school. We assess whether a child's communication skills are within age and grade expectations. Individualized therapy targets specific challenges designed to facilitate improvement with specific goals. Consultation with parents and collaboration with independent and school team members is essential to each child's improvement.



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A GUIDE TO A CHILD'S SPEECH AND LANGUAGE MILESTONES

Below are basic speech, language and communication milestones to look for in children at various ages.

For more info and a detailed list of milestones, by age please visit www.comprehensiveslp.com//speech-and-language-milestones/

Birth to 3 months:

Be alert to speech and environmental sounds

3 months to 6 months:

Smiles when spoken to

6 months to 9 months:

Responds to his/her name

9 months to 12 months:

Vocalizes during play

12 months to 18 months:

Uses sentence like intonation

18 months to 2 years:

65% of speech is intelligible

At age 2 years:

Mainly uses names of things, actions, persons and situations in his/her language

At age 2 ½ years:

Talks to other children as well as adults

At age 3 years:

Has an expressive sentence length of 3-4 words

At age 4 years:

Follows commands although the object is not present

At age 5 years:

Uses all speech sounds correctly with the possible exception of t, v, th, j, z, and zh (as in measure)

At age 6 years:

Predicts the next sequence of events and tells a 4 to 5 part story.