## 25 Speech & Language Strategies

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<td><strong>Self Talk</strong></td>
<td><strong>Parallel Talk</strong></td>
<td><strong>Repetition</strong></td>
<td><strong>Increase Opportunities</strong></td>
<td><strong>Simplify</strong></td>
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<td>Talk out loud about what you’re doing</td>
<td>Talk out loud about what your child is doing</td>
<td>Repeat words over and over</td>
<td>Target the same word all day</td>
<td>Use short phrases and sentences</td>
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<td><strong>Add 1 Word</strong></td>
<td><strong>Model</strong></td>
<td><strong>Imitation</strong></td>
<td><strong>Visuals</strong></td>
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<td>Use 1 more word than your is child using</td>
<td>Tell them what you want them to say</td>
<td>Teach them to copy you</td>
<td>Show objects or pictures when talking</td>
<td>Teach early sign language</td>
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<td><strong>1 at at Time</strong></td>
<td><strong>Give 2 Choices</strong></td>
<td><strong>Sabotage</strong></td>
<td><strong>Out of Reach</strong></td>
<td><strong>Be Forgetful</strong></td>
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<td>Give only 1 so they ask for more</td>
<td>Do you want ____ or ____?</td>
<td>Set it up so they need your help</td>
<td>Let them ask for what they want</td>
<td>Let them ask for what they need</td>
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<td><strong>Be Silly</strong></td>
<td><strong>Follow their Lead</strong></td>
<td><strong>That’s New!</strong></td>
<td><strong>Verbal Routines</strong></td>
<td><strong>Sing</strong></td>
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<td>Get attention with unexpected actions</td>
<td>Talk about their interests</td>
<td>Explore something new</td>
<td>Use the same words in daily routines</td>
<td>Teach language using songs</td>
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<td><strong>Wait</strong></td>
<td><strong>Make Comments</strong></td>
<td><strong>Open-Ended Questions</strong></td>
<td><strong>Pacing Boards</strong></td>
<td><strong>Say it Back</strong></td>
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<td>Pause and give time to respond</td>
<td>More statements than questions</td>
<td>Use Wh instead of yes/no questions</td>
<td>Tap or clap to add more words</td>
<td>Repeat back with stress on correct word</td>
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