



The BluePrint

The Parent Guide to Becoming an Architect of Child Development





Overview

Are you ready to get SPEECHified?

Life with kids is so busy. But don't worry. There are some simple things you can do to boost your child's speech, language and overall development. I'll show you how.

Most importantly, I'll help you on your path to becoming a more intentional, goal-centred parent, leading to greater confidence and fulfilment in your parenting.

Sincerely,
Your SPEECHified Coach.

What's Next?

Your Simple, Powerful Steps to Become SPEECHified:

Recognize the power you have to make a difference in your child's development	✓
Attend Your SPEECHified Session Date:	
Work on Your Skills- 5-Minute Focus	
Send some video footage to your SPEECHified Coach	
Enjoy your new skills and watch your child grow!	





SPEECHified Session

HOW DO YOUNG CHILDREN LEARN?

BUILDING LANGUAGE AND THE BRAIN:

SERVE AND RETURN: WHO? HOW?

YOUR NOTES & QUESTIONS:



SPEECHified Skills

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Join in at their level
Turn Taking vs Take Over*



Awkward Waiting

*Is it Obvious?
7-8 seconds!*



Match and Model More

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then add a little more.
Repeat...repeat...repeat.*



Self-Analysis

How Did You Do?



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CIRCLE AND GIVE EXAMPLES



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The Plan

THE SKILLS:

What SPEECHified skill(s) will you focus on during your 5-Minute Focus Time?

THE SETTING:

What time will your 5-Minute Focus take place daily? After dinner? Bathtime?

What activity do you think you will be joining in with your child?

PROBLEM SOLVING:

What will you do if you have questions about your skills? What will you do if your 5-Minute Focus time you chose doesn't work? For example, if the time isn't good? If other children want to "help"?



Coaching Session

THOUGHTS TO SHARE WITH YOUR COACH

What were my focus SPEECHified skill(s)? How did I do during my 5-Minute Focus Time?
Could I have used the skill more frequently/better?

What was challenging about my 5-Minute Focus in general? For example, time of
day/activity choice, etc.

What did my child do when I used my skill? (Remember it takes time.)

What questions do I have for my SPEECHified Coach?