

SPEECH PATHOLOGY CHECKLIST

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Students Name:

Date:

Age: Years Months

School Name:

Teachers Name:

By 5 years of age	Can your child talk about what has happened and what might happen? (eg 'It rained yesterday – it might rain tomorrow')	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child say sentences using correct grammar with only a few errors? (eg 'I caught the ball when you 'threw' it to me')	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child produce all sounds accurately except the /v/ and /th/ sounds?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child speak in complex sentences using words like 'because', 'if', 'so', 'while', 'but', 'then', 'when'?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child make up rhymes? (eg Mum says 'cat', 'fat'; child adds 'mat')	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child carry out 3-4 step instructions (eg 'Get your lunchbox, put it in your bag and wait at the door')?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child understand 'before' and 'after' and other time sequences? (eg morning, afternoon, day, night, tomorrow, yesterday)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child understand specific describing words? (eg curly, tall, light)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child understand 'why' questions – responding with a reason? (eg 'Why did you eat all the biscuits?' – 'Because I was hungry')	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Does your child understand adult language? (eg 'The girl was pushed over by the boy')	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child tell you the first sound in words? (eg 'boat' starts with the 'buh' sound)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
By 6 years of age	Can your child pronounce all sounds except /th/?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Does your child number have concepts up to 7 ?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Is your child's speech completely understandable and socially useful?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child tell a connected story about a picture, seeing relationships between objects and happenings?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
By 7 years of age	Can your child pronounce ALL sounds?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Does your child handle opposite analogies easily? (e.g. girl-boy, short-long, blunt-sharp, sweet-sour etc)	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Does your child understand such terms as: alike, different, beginning, end, etc?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child tell the time to the quarter hour?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child engage in simple reading and write or print many words?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
By 8 years of age	Can your child relate rather involved accounts of events, many of which occurred at some time in the past?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Does your child use complex and compound sentences with few lapses in grammatical constructions-tense, pronouns, plurals?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Is your child reading with considerable ease and now writing simple stories?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Does your child use social 'niceties' in appropriate situations?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Is your child's control of rate, pitch and volume appropriately established?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Can your child carry on a conversation at a rather adult level?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Does your child follow fairly complex directions with little repetition?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
	Does your child have well developed time and number concepts?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
By 9 – 12 years of age	Throughout these years, your child's verbal and written communication skills should continue to flourish. Does your child have any difficulty with listening, talking, reading, spelling or writing stories?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

Note to parents and teachers:-

Any ONE or MORE 'No' boxes that are crossed are important!

It is preferred that this checklist be completed every 6 months.

This will help the parent to keep an accurate record of a child's developing speech and language.

At any time call Tyquin Group Speech Pathology to discuss what is best for your child.

Parents, please call sooner rather than later – if a problem should exist, it is often easier to correct if the problem is addressed earlier rather than later and thus may cost less in the long run.

What to do:-

Call Tyquin Group Speech Pathology on (07) 3399 8028

Have this checklist handy so you are able to tell us which boxes have been checked.

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