

# Does Your Child Need a Referral To A Speech Pathologist?

## By 3 years of age

## By 4 years of age

## By 5 years of age

	Yes	No		Yes	No		Yes	No
Can your child follow simple directions ( get Mummy's shoes please )?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child carry out 2-step instructions - eg 'get teddy and put him to bed'?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child follow 3 step instructions – eg 'Get your lunch box, put it in your bag and go to the door.'?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does your child understand words like hungry, thirsty, sleepy?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child identify most colours?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child understand specific describing words (eg - curly, tall)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does your child understand some location words (in, on, out, off) and quantity words (one, some)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Does your child understand and use the words 'not', 'don't', 'can't'?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child understand 'why' questions?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does your child speak in 3-5 word sentences ('I go kindly now')?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Does your child use more questions 'who', 'what', 'where', 'why', 'how many'?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child use sentences using correct grammar with only a few errors - eg 'I caught the ball when you throwed it'?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does your child use basic grammar like plurals, verb+ing (e.g. running, sleeping)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Does your child use pronouns and location words (I, she, he, we, they, over, in front, behind, under, between)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child talk about what has happened and what might happen (verb tense)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does your child ask 'what' and 'where' questions? e.g. 'what's that', 'where's Daddy' .	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child retell a story using 'and' to join sentences?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child speak in complex sentences using joining words like 'if, so, but, then'?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Can your child say these sounds correctly in words: 'm, n, p, b, t, d, h, k, g, w, y' ?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child say these sounds in words 'm, n, p, b, t, d, h, k, g, w, y, f, sh, l, ch, s'?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child produce all sounds accurately, except 'v' and 'th'?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Is your child speaking smoothly with no stuttering?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is your child speaking smoothly with no stuttering?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is your child speaking smoothly with no stuttering?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are you happy with your child's voice?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child identify rhyming words like 'cat / mat'?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can your child make up rhymes, and tell the first sound in words?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Are you happy with your child's voice ?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are you happy with your child's voice ?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



If you answered "no" to any of the above questions, consider a referral to Alexia Hyams, Speech Pathologist on 0421834460