

1 AND A HALF

Speech therapy

CIUSSS DE L'ESTRIE - CHUS

**I AM 1 AND
A HALF
YEARS OLD!**

COMMUNICATION
AND LANGUAGE
DEVELOPMENT

Québec 



I UNDERSTAND



- I understand simple instructions such as “Come and eat”, “sit down”, “look for...”.
- I understand concepts like “finished”, “inside”, “up/down”.
- I understand a number of words: common objects, simple actions, some parts of my body.
- I recognize the names of members of my family.

I EXPRESS MYSELF



- I express myself using single words and sometimes 2-word combinations.
- I use about 50 words (not always clearly).
- I say “more”, “up”, “no”.
- I point to what I see or want.
- I use the sounds *p, b, m, t, d, n* and the vowels.
- I use simple gestures (e.g. : bravo!, bye bye).

I LIKE...




- Playing hide-and-seek and exploring my surroundings.
- Imitating different noises (e.g., animals, trucks).
- Imitating your actions in daily life and in games (e.g., sweeping, combing hair, throwing a ball).
- Taking part in singing simple songs and nursery rhymes with sounds and gestures.
- When you let me look at books and talk to me about the pictures I am looking at or pointing to.
- To discover what I can draw with crayons and paint.
- To be able to see your face clearly when we talk.
- When you let me talk at my own pace during our conversations.

WARNING SIGNS



- I don't respond when someone calls my name.
- I don't try to imitate the words and gestures of adults.
- I don't point to myself nor do I use gestures to communicate.
- I use fewer than 18 words.



If you are concerned or have questions, register for Speech Therapy Services at your local CLSC. It is not necessary to get a medical referral. Our team of Speech-Language Pathologists will be pleased to offer you the best possible service for your child (web page information videos, parental guidance, individual therapy with the parent present).

For your information:

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For information (medical reference not required)

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