

2 YEARS

Speech therapy

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I AM 2  
YEARS OLD!

COMMUNICATION  
AND LANGUAGE  
DEVELOPMENT

Québec 

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## I UNDERSTAND



- I recognize several words from my daily life and I learn them quickly.
- I recognize the most essential parts of my body.
- I understand the questions involving “where?”, “why?”, “what?”, questions offering a choice and simple questions (e.g.: “What’s your name?” “How old are you?”).

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## I EXPRESS MYSELF



- I express myself using phrases of 2-3 words.
- I use more than 100 words.
- I talk about myself using my first name.
- I ask questions: “Who’s that?” “What’s that?”.
- I use words to attract attention, to name and ask for objects or to help or protest (e.g.: “no”, “not”).



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## I LIKE...



- Games that involved movement (e.g.: running, being caught, being tickled).
- To imitate your actions in daily life and in our games (e.g.: sweeping, painting oneself, throwing a balloon).
- You to tell me about things that interest me when I explore the games and objects around me (e.g.: “You are driving fast!” “Your spoon has fallen.”).
- To sing songs and nursery rhymes by sounds, words, gestures, at my own pace.
- You to talk about picture in books that catch my eye (e.g.: “Where the Wild Things Are”).
- Drawing and doodling.
- To be able to see your face clearly when we talk.
- You to let me speak when it’s my turn when we are talking together.
- You to say something properly that I have just said, without asking me to repeat it.

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## WARNING SIGNALS



- I use fewer than 50 words.
- I don’t make sentences of longer than 2 words.
- I mostly express myself by gestures.
- I don’t understand simple directions in daily life.

If you are concerned or have questions, register for speech pathology at the CLSC of your local CSSS. It is not necessary to go to a physician for a referral. Our team of speech-language pathologists will be pleased to offer you the best possible service for your child (web information capsules, parent training, parental guidance, individual therapy with the parent present).

## For your information:

Quebec Order of Speech Pathologists and Audiologists | [ooaq.qc.ca](http://ooaq.qc.ca)  
[naitreetgrandir.com](http://naitreetgrandir.com)

**For information** (medical reference not required)

Sherbrooke | 819-780-2222

Des Sources | 819-879-7158, ext. 39438

Coaticook | 819-849-9102, ext. 57316

Memphrémagog | 819-843-2572, ext. 0

Granit | 819-583-0330, ext. 2503

Haut-Saint-François | 819-821-4000, ext. 38232

Val Saint-François | 819-542-2777, ext. 55225

Pommeraiie | 450-266-4342, option 4, ext. 34401 or 34425  
(English and French-speaking clientele)

Haute-Yamaska | 450-375-1442, ext. 65325  
(English and French-speaking clientele)

Estrie - Anglophone clientele (except Haute-Yamaska and Pommeraiie)  
819-346-1110, ext. 14697

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