



# Speech Language Pathology Collection

Welcome to the CNRL SLP Collection – an ever-growing resource of especially chosen books and activities to support early speech and language development.

## Hide and Seek a First Book of Position Words 2 – 5 years

### Before Reading

Scan the QR code at the bottom of the page to view Early Speech and Language Development Charts and a tips video

### During reading

Clearly read this book to your child to increase awareness of the following speech sounds:

2 - 3 years
/b/ “ <b>b</b> ear”, “ <b>b</b> eside”, “ <b>b</b> ehind”, “ <b>b</b> ench”, “ <b>b</b> etween”, “ <b>b</b> ut”
/k/ “ <b>c</b> ome”, “ <b>c</b> astle”, “ <b>c</b> ounts”, “ <b>c</b> limbing”, “ <b>a</b> cross”, “ <b>c</b> an’t”
/h/ “ <b>h</b> ide”, “ <b>h</b> elps”, “ <b>h</b> iding”, “ <b>h</b> ugs”

Oral Language concepts and grammar modelled in this book:

2 – 3 years	3 – 4 years	4 – 5 years
Action words “looks”, “counts”	Counting to five (concepts)	Counting to 10 (concepts)
Position words (prepositions) “on”, “inside”, “under”	Position words (prepositions) “behind”	Position words (prepositions) “next to”
Articles “ <b>the</b> slide, “ <b>the</b> bench”		Pronouns (they) “ <b>They</b> look on the slide”

### After reading

2 - 5 years

Create an obstacle course around your house and comment as children move **in**, **over**, **under**, **up**, **down** and **behind** and **next to** the equipment

Play hide and seek: Count to five or ten together and sing “Ready or not, here I come!”

Play “Rockets” and count down from 5 or 10 together

Sing counting rhymes together such as “Five Little Ducks”, “1, 2, 3, 4, 5 Once I caught a Fish Alive” and

“Three Cheeky Monkeys”

You might also like to read:

- Where, Oh Where is Rosie’s Chick?
- Hide and Seek – A First Book of Position Words
- Spot Loves Bedtime
- Five Little Ducks
- Alexander’s Outing