



Top Tips for Talking

Use all the child's senses



Look... we're under the blanket!

Why should I do this?

Using touch, smell, taste, listening and sight helps your child to remember labels and actions.

How can I do this?

- ◇ When going around the supermarket, give your child the items to put in the basket so they can see, feel and smell them.
- ◇ When offering choices at snack time, show your child the options available so they can see, smell, touch and possibly try them.
- ◇ When walking to nursery/school encourage your child to listen to noises in the street e.g. 'Listen, I can hear an aeroplane (then mime an aeroplane with your hands) brmmmm'.

