

# Speech Activities for Home!

1. Bean Bag Toss- Make a bean bag by placing rice or beans in an old sock! Place 5 speech picture cards on the floor and toss the bean bag. Name the picture it lands on.
2. Bowling- Save 10 plastic 2 liter coke bottles. Set the bottles up to look like bowling pins. Go bowling! The number of pins knocked down is the number of speech pictures he/she has to say.
3. Buried Treasure- bury pictures in Styrofoam packing peanuts or a box of sand. Have your child search for the pictures (buried treasure) and name what he/she finds!
4. Picture Safari- Glue two cardboard toilet paper/paper towel rolls together to make your binoculars. Hide pictures around the room & have your child use his/her binoculars to find the pictures. Name what is found.
5. Describing- Place 5 speech picture cards on the table. You describe the card and the child names the picture.
6. Four Square- Place four cards face up in a square and let your child take a moment to look at where the cards are. Then, take the cards and mix them up. Ask your child to place the cards back in the correct place.
7. Silly Sentence- Place 2-4 cards face up. Say a silly sentence and let your child correct the sentence by naming one of the picture cards. Example - When looking at pictures of a "girl, goat, & gum" say, "The goat chewed gum." Then have your child correct the sentence by saying, "The girl chewed gum."
8. Simon Says- Place several picture cards on a table. Simon says name the (say a picture card).
9. Sentence Completion- Place 4-6 picture cards face up. Say a sentence that only one card can complete. Let your child complete the sentence

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10. Following Directions- Place several cards on the floor. The cards should be spread apart far enough so your child can stand between them. Ask your child to stand "beside/in front/behind/next to" a card and then ask him/her to name the card they are "beside/in front/behind/next to".
11. Mother May I? - Stagger several pictures in a line. Let your child choose which picture he/she would like to walk to. Before he/she can walk he/she must say, "Mother, May I walk to the (name the picture)."