

Check out the YouTube video  
'Helping my child to Talk: Conversational Turns'  
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## 5. Conversational Turns

- Taking turns is very powerful! Conversational turns are strongly linked with brain growth and language skills



### Picture Books

Picture books are great for 'back and forth' communication. It is much easier to understand what your child is saying or thinking when you are both looking at the same pictures!

Child: "uhee" → Adult: "look at the monkey!"  
Child: "tee" → Adult: "monkey is in the...tree!"



### Outdoor Adventures

Wait to see what catches your child's attention!  
Be ready to react when they look at something or talk about something! Watch to see how they respond to what you say and do.

