# Preschool Speech-Language Resources

## **Milestones & Development**

- <u>https://sac-oac.ca/sites/default/files/resources/SAC-Milestones-TriFold\_EN.pdf</u>
  General communication milestones from birth to 5 years
- <u>https://www.firstwords.ca/speech-and-language-milestones</u>
  General communication milestones from birth to 30 months
- <u>https://www.csu.edu.au/research/multilingual-speech/speech-acquisition</u>
  Speech sound milestones (scroll down to "United States" norms)—available in a few different designs.
- <u>https://open.alberta.ca/publications/talk-box-a-parent-s-guide-to-creating-language-rich-environments-preschool</u>

For parents who have concerns about communication development resources and strategies for parents to support language-rich environments, organized by age.

<u>https://babynavigator.com/scgc/</u>
 "Social Communication Growth Charts" – milestones that develop between birth to 24 months.
 For a pdf of all the charts together, please see:

https://autismnavigator.learnercommunity.com/Files/Org/b7feabe6ed9e4713b02511fc0003214c/site/SCGC %20Milestones%20from%201%20to%2024%20Months%2012%20pages.pdf



<u>https://autismnavigator.learnercommunity.com/Files/Org/b7feabe6ed9e4713b02511fc0003214c/site/16-</u>
 <u>Early-Signs-of-Autism-Checklist.pdf</u>
 Checklist with 16 early signs of autism













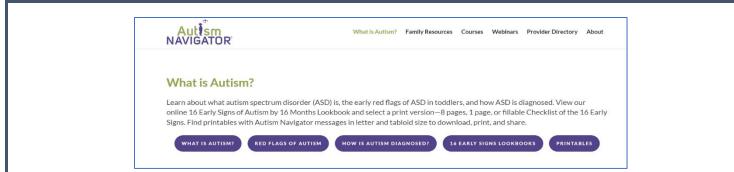






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## https://autismnavigator.com/family-resources/

• "ASD Video Glossary" – side-by-side videos of typically developing and neurodiverse children to help you spot the subtle differences in social communication and play skills. Free to register.

## Referrals

- Early Intervention Program (EIP) referral form: <u>https://www.islandhealth.ca/sites/default/files/children-youth-family/cyf-mhsu/documents/eip-referral-form-fillable.pdf</u>
- Community Health Speech-Language (referral form is attached)
- Confident Parents: Thriving Kids program for parents of children with anxiety or behavior difficulties.
  - o General information: <u>https://welcome.cmhacptk.ca/</u>
  - Referral form: <u>https://www.islandhealth.ca/sites/default/files/children-youth-family/cyf-mhsu/documents/eip-referral-form-fillable.pdf</u>

### **Searching for Private SLPs**

- Lists of private practitioners can be found at the following links:
  - o <a href="https://www.vislp.ca/">https://www.vislp.ca/</a>

This is a website created by the speech-language pathology private practitioners on Southern Vancouver Island

- <u>https://speechandhearingbc.ca/#professional-map</u>
  This is a website created by Speech and Hearing BC, a provincial not-for-profit association to support the speech-language pathology and audiology professions in British Columbia.
- <u>https://www.sac-oac.ca/find-speech-language-pathologist-or-audiologist-service</u>
  This is a website created by speech-Language & Audiology Canada, a national organization to support communication health professionals

## **MD** Professional Development

https://autismnavigator.com/webinars/

- This website has many free webinars for pediatricians, family physicians, and other primary care providers in early intervention systems that are eligible for CME credits
- "Improving Early Detection of Autism with an Eye Toward Going Down to Infancy"  $\rightarrow$  free, 1 CME

For more information about the SLP take on the new CDC milestone guidelines, please see:

 <u>https://autismnavigator.learnercommunity.com/Files/Org/b7feabe6ed9e4713b02511fc0003214c/site/SCGC</u> %20Milestones%20from%201%20to%2024%20Months%2012%20pages.pdf