**Community Services** Part of University Hospitals Birmingham **NHS Foundation Trust** 

# ACTIVITIES TO DEVELOP UNDERSTANDING AT A TWO WORD LEVEL

1. You will need

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆

- Ball
- Car
- Lorry
- Doll
- Teddy or similar

**Instruction:** Give the <u>ball</u> to <u>teddy</u>

Give the <u>car</u> to <u>dolly</u> Give the car to teddy Give the lorry to dolly Give the ball to dolly etc.

Continue to ask your child to give different toys to dolly or teddy.

## 2. You will need

- Toy cars, vans, trains etc
- Table
- Chair

**Instruction:** Push the car to the table Push the lorry to the chair Push the train to the chair

Push the van to the table Continue with these instructions, asking your child to push the car, bus etc to

## 3. You will need

different places.

- things to throw e.g. beanbag, ball, balloon •
- teddy or similar •
- dolly

**Instruction:** Throw the ball to dolly

Throw the balloon to teddy

Throw the beanbag to teddy

Throw the <u>balloon</u> to <u>dolly</u> etc

Continue with the instructions changing the object to be thrown and the "person" to throw it to.

## 4. You will need

- Objects to kick and throw e.g. balloon, ball, beanbag
- Chair •

\*\*\*\* **Instruction:** <u>Kick</u> the <u>ball</u> to the chair Kick the balloon to the chair Throw the beanbag to the chair Throw the ball to the chair Continue the instructions changing the action and object to be kicked and thrown. 5. You will need sponge or flannel • teddy or similar dolly **Instructions:** Wash <u>teddy's</u> <u>nose</u> Wash dolly's face Wash dolly's leg Wash teddy's ear

 $\frac{1}{2}$ 

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆

☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆ ☆

☆ ☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆

☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆

☆ ☆

☆ ☆

☆

☆

☆

Continue the instructions changing the "person" to be washed and the body part.

#### 6. You will need

- Sponge or flannel ٠
- Towel
- Teddy or similar
- Doll

**Instructions:** Dry dolly's face

Wash teddy's face Dry teddy's face Wash dolly's face

Dry teddy's leg Dry dolly's leq Wash dolly's leg Wash teddy's leg

Choose a different body part then repeat the instructions, changing the commands of wash and dry and the "person" to be dried.

#### 7. You will need

- Toy animals e.g. dog, monkey •
- Play food e.g. apple, banana

Instruction: Give the apple to the dog Give the banana to the monkey Give the <u>apple</u> to the <u>monkey</u> Give the banana to the dog

Repeat the instructions changing the animals and the food

Children's Speech and Language Therapy 0121 722 8010 https://childrenscommunitytherapies.uhb.nhs.uk/

☆