

# BBC CBeebies PARENTING

## TOOLS FOR TALKING

Ways to support children's language development

### 0-3 months



Get face to face

### 3-6 months



Have mini conversations - respond to baby's sounds

### 6-9 months



Respond to babble

### 9-12 months



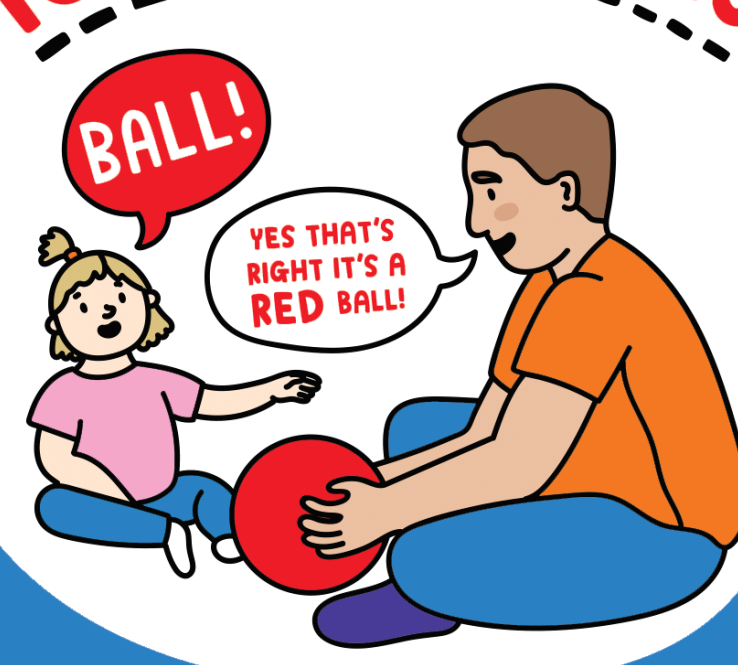
Notice and talk about your baby's interests

### 12-18 months



Follow baby's lead

### 18-24 months



Add new words to make simple sentences

### 2-3 years



Repeat what they say with the right words and phrases

### 3-4 years



Talk about the past and future

### 4-5 years



Talk about sounds in words

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