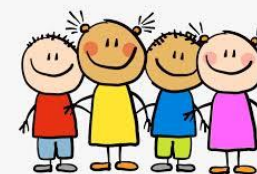




*"It will benefit  
my teaching  
practice in the  
future"*



*"Should be rolled  
out in all settings  
0-5"*



*"Practical ideas  
to implement!"*



*"My knowledge  
has grown  
massively!"*

*"Trainer was full  
of energy!"*



*"Very  
informative,  
learnt some  
great tips!"*

## Early Start Speech and Language Therapy Service Training for Early Years practitioners

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### What we do:

We provide a universal speech and language therapy service to families of children under 5 in Ealing. **Children do not need a referral to access our service.**

### Our aims:

We aim to provide early intervention to children and families in Ealing by offering advice and support on the development of communication to parents and practitioners of children under 5. Our goal is to empower both parents and practitioners to help them to best support their child's communication skills.

Where possible, this includes preventing speech, language and communication needs from arising, as well as identifying and supporting needs as early as possible. We welcome referrals to our Service. If you are concerned about a child you work with, please see the guidance below on when to refer:

-  *No words being used by 18 months*
-  *Appearing not to understand what is being said by 18 months*
-  *Using less than 50 words at 2 years (these can be in a mixture of languages)*
-  *Not joining words together at 2 ½ years*
-  *Showing signs of frustration with getting their message across*
-  *Not being relatively easily understood by 3 ½ years.*
-  *Not speaking in a setting for 6 weeks or more*

## Communication is everyone's business!

We know that poor communication skills impact on a child's socializing, learning and wellbeing-good communication skills are crucial for children's life chances. Early identification and intervention for children with speech, language and communication needs is essential. It is ALL of our jobs to identify and support children's speech and language development!

### Contact us:

**Address:** Early Years Speech and Language Therapy Team,  
Early Start (Universal) Service,  
Carmelita House, 21-22 The Mall, W5 2PJ

**Tel:** 0300 1234 544

**Email:** [wlm-tr.sltuniversalservices@nhs.net](mailto:wlm-tr.sltuniversalservices@nhs.net)

**Facebook:** [www.facebook.com/SLTEaling](https://www.facebook.com/SLTEaling)

## Ealing Early Years SLT free training programme – Autumn 2021

### ***Bespoke training***





We can create bespoke trainings for your setting or organisation for **free**. We can:



- Come to your team meeting
- Run training ranging from a bitesize 1-hour training to a whole day session
- Run any combination of the training's listed below or if you have a special request we will do our best to accommodate you
- The training can be delivered **in your setting** at a time that suits you!

Get in touch with the number of participants and when you would like the training to run.  
To arrange a bespoke training session please email: [wlm-tr.sltuniversalservices@nhs.net](mailto:wlm-tr.sltuniversalservices@nhs.net) with your request.

<b><i>Bite Size Workshops for Parents and Practitioners</i></b>	<b><i>Date</i></b>	<b><i>Time</i></b>	<b><i>Venue</i></b>	<b><i>How to book a free place</i></b>
<b>Using Stories to Support Talking</b> On this bitesize course you will learn: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- The evidence behind how stories can support children's language</li> <li>- Practical ideas for how stories can support communication in children aged 0-5</li> <li>- How to choose stories that are best for supporting children's language</li> <li>- How to support children's language through stories even if you do not have storybooks available!</li> </ul>	Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> November	1 – 3pm	Online via Zoom	<b>Practitioners:</b> Please book via Ealing Early Years CPD online <a href="http://www.ealingcpd.org.uk">www.ealingcpd.org.uk</a>  <b>Parents:</b> Please email: <a href="mailto:wlm-tr.sltuniversalservices@nhs.net">wlm-tr.sltuniversalservices@nhs.net</a> or call 07512 716 478 Monday – Friday between 1 and 4pm
<b>Introduction to Makaton Signing</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learn 30 Makaton Signs in our hour and a half training session</li> <li>• With Makaton, signs are used, with speech, in spoken word order. This helps provide extra clues about what someone is saying. Using signs can help children who have no/little speech or whose speech is unclear as well as children whose language is developing typically.</li> <li>• Training will be provided by an official Makaton Tutor</li> </ul>	Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> October	9:30 – 11:30	Online via Zoom	<b>Practitioners:</b> Please book via Ealing Early Years CPD online <a href="http://www.ealingcpd.org.uk">www.ealingcpd.org.uk</a>  <b>Parents:</b> Please email: <a href="mailto:wlm-tr.sltuniversalservices@nhs.net">wlm-tr.sltuniversalservices@nhs.net</a> or call 07512 716 478 Monday – Friday between 1 and 4pm

<b>Training for Practitioners</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Location</b>	<b>How to book</b>
<b>Language Development in the Under 5s</b> On this course that you will learn: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How communication develops</li> <li>• Risk factors that may impact on the development of communication skills</li> <li>• How to gather information about a child's communication and when to refer to Speech and Language Therapy</li> <li>• What support is available in the borough</li> <li>• A range of adult strategies to support children's language development</li> <li>• The role of the environment in supporting children's language development</li> </ul>	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> November	9:30 – 2:30	Online via Zoom	<b>This course is only available to practitioners:</b>  To book a <b>FREE</b> place please book via Ealing Early Years CPD online <a href="http://www.ealingcpd.org.uk">www.ealingcpd.org.uk</a>
<b>Autism Awareness for Practitioners</b> On this course that runs over two mornings, you will learn: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What Autism or social communication difficulties are</li> <li>• How to identify potential signs of Autism/social communication difficulties in young children</li> <li>• How to discuss concerns with parents</li> <li>• What support is available in the borough</li> <li>• Strategies to support a child with Autism/social communication difficulties in an Early Years setting</li> </ul>	Tuesday 5 <sup>th</sup> October	9:30 – 2:30	Online via Zoom	<b>This course is only available to practitioners:</b>  To book a <b>FREE</b> place please book via Ealing Early Years CPD online <a href="http://www.ealingcpd.org.uk">www.ealingcpd.org.uk</a>  Please note: we also run a workshop for parents of children with Autism/social communication difficulties. Please contact us for further information.
<b>Creating a Communication Friendly Early Years Setting</b> On this bite sized course, you will learn: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Why communication friendly environments are important in the Early Years</li> <li>• What makes a communication friendly environment</li> <li>• Make an action plan for how to make your setting more communication friendly</li> </ul>	Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> October	9:30 – 11:30	Online via Zoom	This course is only available to practitioners:  To book a FREE place please book via Ealing Early Years CPD online <a href="http://www.ealingcpd.org.uk">www.ealingcpd.org.uk</a>

Free online webinars	These workshops are now freely available to watch on YouTube via the following links or QR codes: (Open the camera on your phone and hold it up to the image to access the QR code)	
<p><b>Talking: What to Expect When and How to Help</b></p> <p>On this bite sized course, you will learn:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• How communication develops</li> <li>• What difficulties you should be looking out for</li> <li>• How to support a child's communication development</li> <li>• What support is available in the borough</li> </ul>		<p>YouTube link: <a href="#">Ealing Children's Speech and Language Therapy: Talking What to Expect When and How to Help - YouTube</a></p>
<p><b>Helping Children Speak Clearly (Pronunciation)</b></p> <p>On this bite sized course, you will learn:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What `speech` is</li> <li>• How speech sounds develop</li> <li>• Understand where sounds are made in our mouths</li> <li>• Learn sound awareness activities (listening and talking) to work on whilst waiting for speech sound therapy</li> </ul>		<p>YouTube link: <a href="#">Ealing Children's Speech and Language Therapy: Helping Children to Speak Clearly (Pronunciation) - YouTube</a></p>
<p><b>Speaking More Than One Language at Home</b></p> <p>On this bite sized course, you will learn:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Facts about bilingual children (children who can speak more than one language)</li> <li>• Learn about the benefits of being bilingual</li> <li>• Find out what to expect from children who are learning English as a second language</li> <li>• How to support children who are learning English as a second language</li> </ul>		<p>YouTube link: <a href="#">Ealing Speech and Language Therapy: Supporting Children who are Learning More than One Language - YouTube</a></p>
<p><b>Shy, Quiet and Anxious Talkers</b></p> <p>On this bite sized course, you will learn:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Why some children are shy or anxious to speak in school or nursery</li> <li>• What Selective Mutism is</li> <li>• How to help children communicate in a range of settings</li> <li>• When to make a referral to Speech and Language Therapy</li> </ul>		<p>YouTube link: <a href="#">Ealing Children's Speech and Language Therapy: Shy, Quiet and Anxious Talkers - YouTube</a></p>

<p><b>Supporting Children who Stammer</b></p> <p>On this bite sized course, you will learn:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What stammering is</li> <li>• Why a child may stammer</li> <li>• How to support a child who stammers</li> </ul>		<p>YouTube link: <a href="#">Ealing Children's Speech and Language Therapy: Supporting Children who Stammer - YouTube</a></p>
<p><b>Understanding Autism</b></p> <p>On this bite sized course, you will learn:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What Autism is</li> <li>• How communication develops differently in Autistic children</li> <li>• The causes of Autism</li> <li>• Who to refer to for Autism assessment</li> <li>• How and when practitioners should speak to parents about their concerns</li> </ul>		<p>YouTube link: <a href="#">Ealing Children's Speech and Language Therapy: Understanding Autism - YouTube</a></p>
<p><b>Supporting Children with Autism to Communicate</b></p> <p>On this bite sized course, you will learn how to support children's attention and listening, social interaction, understanding of language and talking.</p>	<p>Webinar coming soon!</p>	
<p><b>There's More to Communication than Talking: Supporting Communication in Children with Complex Needs</b></p> <p>On this bite sized course, you will learn:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What communication is</li> <li>• What the building blocks to communication are</li> <li>• How to support a child's communication development</li> <li>• What support is available in the borough for children with complex needs</li> </ul>	<p>Webinar coming soon!</p>	
<p><b>Supporting behaviour in children under 5:</b></p> <p>On this bite size course, you will learn:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• What typical emotional/self-regulation development looks like</li> <li>• Why a child may present with challenging behaviour</li> <li>• Practical ideas for managing behaviour</li> </ul>	<p>Webinar coming soon!</p>	