



LIFE CHANGING
SPEECH THERAPY

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Conversation Rules

1. Greeting
 - e.g.: "Hi! How are you?", "Hello!", "Good to see you!"
2. Think of a Topic the Other Person Might be Interested in
 - Think about what you want to say, when to say it, and who you want to say it to.
 - Start the conversation with a question!
 - e.g.: "Have you heard about ___?", "Do you like ___?"
3. Show Whole Body Listening!
 - My eyes, eyebrows and mouth show the other person how I am feeling and if I am listening.
4. Show Interest
 - Ask questions: Who, What, Where, When, Why, How?
 - Listen to the answer
 - Make comments
5. Take turns!
 - Talking too much might make the other person feel bored or frustrated.
 - If I don't say anything, the other person might think I don't care about what they are saying or that I'm not listening.
6. Stay On Topic
 - Both people talking about same thing
 - Use key words and follow-up questions
7. End Conversation Politely
 - e.g. "See you later!", "Talk to you later!", "I've gotta go now, bye!", "Later, gator!"