



## Child Communication Checklist (With Parent)

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Reason Child Communicates

	Doesn't understand/ ignores/blank stare	Looks at parent	Protests/ Refuses/ Tantrums	Pulls parent arm/ gestures	Points/ Reacts/ Nods	Uses visual pictures	Shares/ Offers things	Makes sounds	Immediate Echoes/ copies	Delayed echoes*	Uses 1-3 words/ signs	Whole sentence/ signs
Wants something from parents (food, toy, help, play etc.)												
Wants to continue playing/reading/singing with parent												
Not getting what s/he wants												
Wants to stop activity												
Response to parent one-step direction												
Response to parent multi-step direction												
Response to parent offering choices												
Response to parent greeting (hello, bye-bye)												
Feelings expression												

\*"Delayed Echoes" defined as copies from TV shows, common expressions

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# Child Communication Checklist (With Peer/Sibling)

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**Reason Child Communicates**

	Doesn't understand/ ignores/blank stare	Looks at child	Protests/ Refuses/ Tantrums	Pulls child's arm/ gestures	Points/ Reacts/ Nods	Uses visual pictures	Shares/ Offers things	Makes sounds	Immediate Echoes/ copies	Delayed echoes*	Uses 1-3 words/ signs	Whole sentence/ signs
Wants something from peers (food, toy, help, play etc.)												
Wants to continue playing/reading/singing with peer												
Not getting what s/he wants												
Wants to stop activity												
Response to peer request												
Response to peer initiation												
Response to peer greeting												
Feelings expression												

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