



SPEECH SOUND DEVELOPMENT

THE AGE THAT CHILDREN LEARN TO PRODUCE SOUNDS



The following is a guideline that can be used by parents, professionals and educators to help them to determine the range of consonant sounds that children should be able to produce at different ages. These norms are based on studies compiled by McLeod & Crowe, 2018.

2-3 Years p, b, m, d, n, h, t, k, g, w, f, y

4 Years l, j, v, s, ch, sh, z

5 Years r, zh, th (voiced)

6 Years th (voiceless)

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