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When parents are concerned about their child's development, speech therapists and medical professionals are often asked about the potential concerns over late talking. This is because every child develops at his or her own pace, and parents may feel more comfortable or reassured if they know what to expect, even if their child is speaking later than many of their peers. However, it is important to remember that late talking is a normal and expected part of development in many children, and it is not something to be overly concerned about.

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Parents whose children are late in starting to speak may be concerned about their child's development. In fact, as children's speech expert Stephen Camarata points out in his enlightening book, children are late in speaking for a variety of reasons. In many cases, late talking is a symptom of other, more serious, problems; for many others, however, it may simply be a stage with no long-term complications.

Late-Talking Children book by Thomas Sowell

The book Late-Talking Children is an invaluable resource for many parents. The author's extensive research, and his personal experience, are just a couple of reasons readers of this book can see his caring and dedication to the subject of late talkers.

Is Late Speech a Sign of Autism? - Verywell Health

In general, children with autism are more likely to:
- Fail or be slow to respond to their name or other verbal attempts to gain their attention
- Fail or be slow to develop gestures, such as pointing and showing things to others

In addition to late speech, there are a number of other communication-related issues that could be signs of autism. If you have a late talking child and you are worried about their lack of verbal speech but you know they are not autistic, you should read this book before you allow your child to be tested.

How To Know When Your Child Is A Late-Talker — And What To Do About It

Late talking is something that's common to many different diagnoses. Those with a known genetic disorder like Down Syndrome, for example, may be slow to learn language. Other children may be慢 to talk because they are struggling with other issues, such as hearing loss, developmental disorders, or even just normal development.

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