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# Communication offer - primary

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## Universal

- Schools to secure continuing professional development
- [ICAN language development charts](#)
- National curriculum guidance on speech and language
- A range of recorded training modules available for all staff covering all aspects of communication and interaction on Blackpool's Graduated Approach Toolkit
- [Access to The Communication Trust Self-Evaluation Framework for self-audit](#)
- ELKLAN Let's Talk Level 1 training available from the Blackpool Council SEND support team
- 'Introduction to speech, language and communication' video for support staff from Blackpool's Graduated Approach toolkit
- Access to the communication leads in schools meetings, held termly
- Access to Blackpool Classrooms that Communicate toolkit
- Makaton training via NHS speech and language therapist payable by settings
- Basic BSL training, some charges may apply
- Autism Education Trust Making Sense of Autism for Schools
- Access to the annual North West Speech and Language Network [Information Day](#)

## Targeted

- Access to initiatives such as Talking Partners, Talk Boost, Time to Talk, Socially Speaking
- Elklan interventions and resources
- Access to Blackpool Classrooms that Communicate toolkit

## Specialist

- Advice from a speech and language therapist on appropriate interventions approaches for teaching and learning
- Advice about alternative, augmentative communication (AAC) available through Blackpool Council SEND support team
- Access to Blackpool Classrooms that Communicate toolkit
- Access to further information on alternative, augmentative communication (AAC) from the [ACE Centre](#).

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