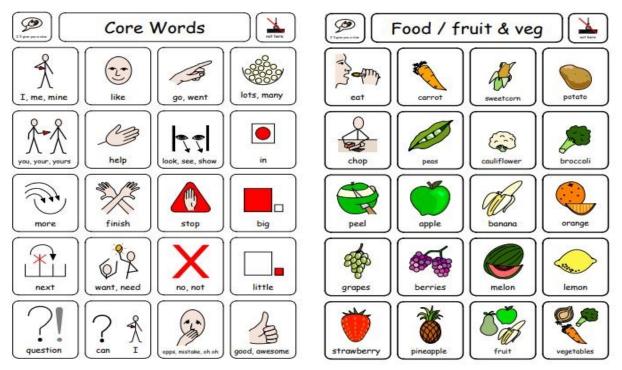




## Working on stage 3 of a Communication Book:

## What is the child trying to learn?

- $\Rightarrow$  To begin to take responsibility to find and initiate communication using their book
- $\Rightarrow$  To find the right topic pages using the tabs
- $\Rightarrow$  To link 3-4 symbols together to link their ideas (e.g I want red crayon, I like dogs)
- $\Rightarrow$  To use question and negative symbols (e.g I don't like blue, what is your name?)



## How can I help?

- $\Rightarrow$  Model 3-4 symbols in a range of situations (on the same page)
- $\Rightarrow$  Introduce the question symbol (e.g where your bag?)
- $\Rightarrow$  Introduce the negative symbols (e.g I don't like cucumber)
- $\Rightarrow$  Introduce describing symbols (e.g I want a big chocolate bar)
- $\Rightarrow$  Provide opportunities for more core words (e.g choose, yes, no)
- ⇒ Continue to update the child's book with vocabulary you know the child may use within upcoming situations (e.g specific lessons, activities).