

Healthy Child Programme

Reduce Questions

With young children, a lot of questions are not helpful.
Try to comment rather than ask a question.



Why do this?

- If you say, 'What's that?' a lot to your child, it is more likely that that is what they will learn to say. It's much better to comment instead, as your child then hears new words.
- Using questions can feel like a test to your child, especially if they know the answer.
- Your child may not know the answer and this may decrease their confidence.

Further information is available at: www.wordsforlife.org.uk

Let's Get
Talking