

Speech and language therapy



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What we do

Speech and language therapy provides treatment, support and care for children and adults who have difficulties with speech, language and communication, and / or eating, drinking and swallowing.

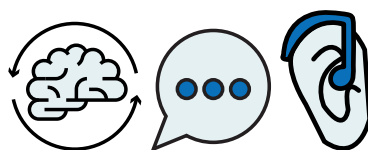
Where we work and who we work with



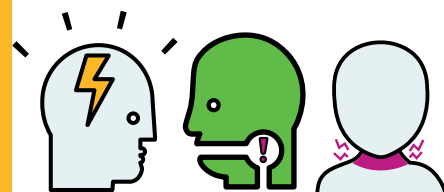
We work with people of all ages.



We work in hospitals, clinics, and in the community.



We work with learning difficulties, physical disabilities, mental health problems, developmental language disorder, speech sounds difficulties, hearing impairment, cleft lip and palate, stammering, autism.



We work with acquired conditions such as stroke or brain injury, neurodegenerative disorders such as Parkinson's disease, dementia, Huntington's disease or multiple sclerosis, head, neck or throat cancer and swallowing problems.

How much speech and language therapists can earn

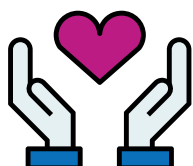
Assistant roles £22,000

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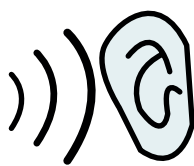
Qualified therapists £28,000 - £85,000

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Speech and language therapists are great at



Caring



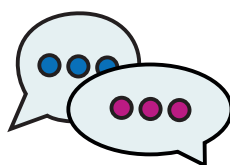
Listening



Problem solving



Social sciences



Linguistics



Communicating with people and supporting people to use their communication skills

How to get started as a speech and language therapist

You'll need a degree or master's degree in speech and language therapy. You can do this via a full-time or part-time pre-registration course or via an apprenticeship course (completed whilst working in a paid therapy assistant role). The following local universities offer speech and language therapy courses:



Entry requirements for an undergraduate course are usually:

- 5 GCSEs (grades 9-4/A-C), including maths, English and science.
- Level 3 qualification including: 3 A levels, T-Levels, BTEC Diploma, Access to HE Diploma, Higher Technical qualification (HTQ) or Level 3 apprenticeship in health and social care.

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