

Core Vocabulary List for Students with Intellectual Disabilities

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| People & Pronouns (names of people) | why | share | top | happy |
| aide | how | sing | under | hard |
| baby | how much | sit | up | hard |
| boy | Negation | sleep | Nouns | hot |
| brother | don't | stand | all | hungry |
| bus driver | not | stop | body | hurt |
| child-children | Verbs | take | fun | little |
| class | am-is-are-be | tell | home | long |
| family | ask | think | idea | loud |
| father | break | try | name | mad |
| friend | buy | turn | one | mean |
| girl | call | wait | place | medium |
| grandfather | can | walk | pet | more |
| grandmother | close | want | problem | new |
| he | color | was-were | question | nice |
| her | come | wash | school | old |
| hers | count | watch | some | pretty |
| him | do-does-did | win | stuff | quiet |
| his | dress | work | that | right |
| I | drink | write | thing | sad |
| it | eat | Time (Adverbs/Nouns) | this | same |
| man | feel | after | time | scared |
| me | find | afternoon | town | short |
| mine | get | again | trouble | sick |
| mother | give | before | way | silly |
| my | go | hurry | Adjectives | slow |
| myself | have-has-had | late-later | afraid | smart |
| name | hear | morning | all | soft |
| people | help | night | done/finished | thirsty |
| person's | hold | now | all gone/gone | tired |
| pet name | know | ready | bad | wet |
| she | let | today | big | wrong |
| sister | like | tomorrow | busy | Interjections |
| SLP | listen | yesterday | clean | goodbye |
| teacher | live | Place (Adverbs/Preps) | cold | hello |
| they | look | away | confused | maybe |
| we | lose | bottom | different | no |
| woman | love | down | dirty | please |
| you | make | here | dry | sorry |
| your | need | in | dumb | thank you |
| Interrogatives | open | off | easy | yes |
| who | play | on | empty | Conjunctions |
| what | put | out | fast | and |
| when | read | over | favorite | because |
| where | ride | there | full | |
| | say | | funny | |
| | see | | good | |