

Partner Strategy Kit: Activity Set

Respect and Reflect

- Respect and reflect is a strategy discussed by Senner and Baud as a way to acknowledge and accept a student's communication- in any form- and then model it or repeat it using AAC.
- This strategy has a very important rule- do NOT ask the student to repeat their communication using AAC.
- This strategy is used to model in a different way and places no pressure on the student to repeat.

Discussion

Read the example below. Discuss with your team how you would respect the communication and respond.

A student points to the door and looks to the teacher. He vocalizes “ah” while pointing. How do you respond?

