Starting to speak English at home

Helpful language

These are all phrases that are used in the video clip. You can have this support sheet next to you as you do the activities illustrated on the video.

Simple card games

What are these?
Yes, they’re apples.
I like bananas. Do you?
Guess the fruit.
No. Try again. / Yes, that’s right!
Now you have a go.

Using a puppet

Harry only speaks English, remember!

English at lunch

Can you get the plates?
How many plates are there?
And this is …?

Other useful phrases

Greetings
Hi! Hello. Good morning. Good afternoon.
It’s time for English.
How are you? (I’m fine, thanks.)
Goodbye. See you later.

To encourage your child
That’s great! Well done! You did that very well! Fantastic! Very good!
Try again. / That’s right.