

TALK with spinny toys



Firstly...

Face your child, get down to their level and watch what they do.

Then start to **copy** their play and **comment** on what they're doing:

"You pressed the button, look its spinning fast. Its slowing down. Now it has stopped."

In activities...

Take turns to press/push the spinning toy to activate it

Play a game of 'Ready, steady, go' encouraging your child to wait for go before letting go and activating the spinning toy

Hold the button of the spinning toy down and wait for your child to indicate that they want you to let go by looking at you, making a noise or saying 'go'

Words they should hear...

**ready, steady, go,
fast, slow, stop**

**again, more,
help, finished**

**push, press, spin,
look, watch**