



Asking Questions with “Can” Sentence Builder Worksheet

Introduction:

Teaching children to ask questions with the correct word order (and using complete sentences) can be a very difficult thing to do. For that reason, it helps if you can just teach them one question form at a time. This worksheet will help teach the child how to ask questions in the form of “Can I...”.

Instructions:

Touch the first word in the sentence at the top of the page and read it out loud. Do this for each word in the sentence. When you get to the blank, pick a picture from below the sentence and finish the question. Then, have the child repeat the sentence back to you while touching each word as he goes. Once he can repeat you asking the question correctly, you can have him create his own sentences by filling in the blank at the end of the sentence.

The Next Step:

Once the child is able to use this question form appropriately using the worksheet, start reminding him to use this question form correctly in everyday conversation as well. If he asks a question like this without using the correct form, gently remind him of what he can say instead.



Let's Practice Asking Questions!

Help your child practice asking questions with the word "can". Touch each word in the sentence as you say it, then fill in the blank with something that your child might want.

Can I have a _____ ?



doll



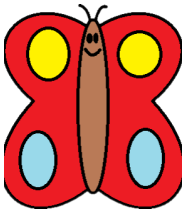
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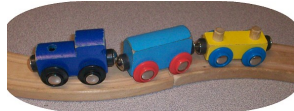
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dinosaur



dragon



train



table



fish



flower



ghost



penguin



bathtub

Extra Practice: You can help your child learn to ask questions at home exaggerating them in your own speech. You can also gently correct your child when he/she does not remember to ask a question correctly.