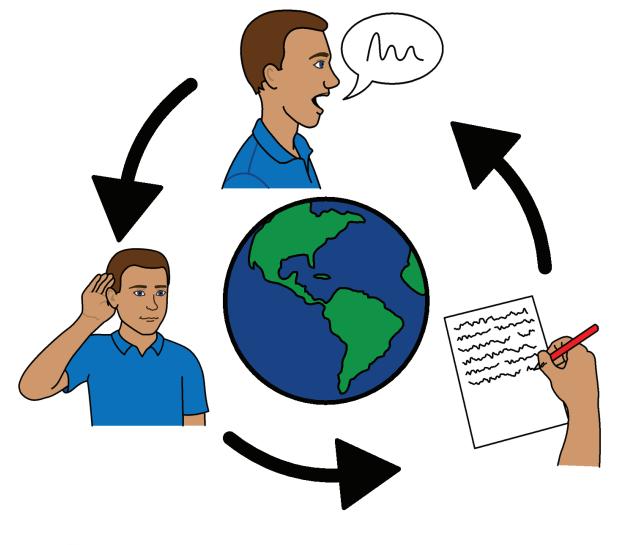
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Communication is

- getting your message across and
- someone understanding your message.



You might use

- speaking
- hearing
- listening
- reading
- writing
- sign and gesture.



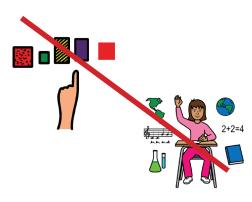
Some people have a communication problem. This means they

- find it hard to communicate
- communicate in different ways.

They might need extra help.



Everyone can communicate. This is called a human right. Communication problems affect every part of a person's life.



A communication problem can make it hard to

- speak-up or make decisions
- learn
- find a job.

It can also be hard to

- get services
- say what you like and do not like
- ask a question.



It can be hard to

- make friends
- stay safe
- have good mental health.



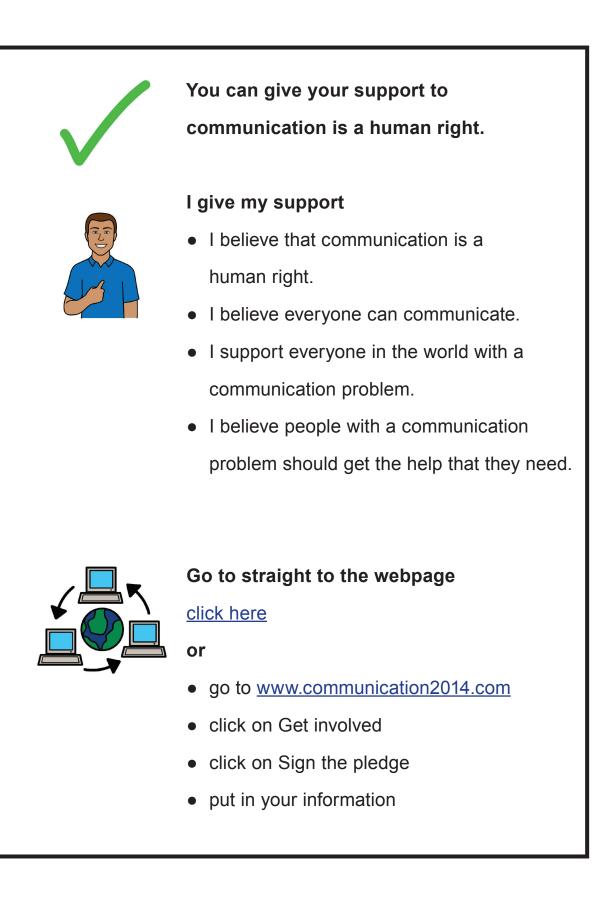
We want all people with a communication problem to have a good life. We will make sure people with a

communication problem get support from

• government



- health services
- schools
- the media
- other groups.





Who gives their support?

- American Speech-Language-Hearing Association
- Irish Association of Speech and Language Therapists
- New Zealand Speech-language Therapists' Association
- Royal College of Speech and Language Therapists
- Speech-Language & Audiology Canada
- Speech Pathology Australia

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