

Language Nest Survival Guide



Basic Phrases for Beginners



English

Pertame

No

Yes

Come here

Go outside

Go inside

Come inside

Listen

Sit down

Stand up

Sing

Don't do that

Very good

Leave it

Be careful

Don't run

Mother

Aunty

Nana

great-grand mother

Wash your hands

Good girl

Good boy

How do you say...

Say it

Copy me

Be quiet

Look here!

Bus Language



English

Pertame

We sit good ways

We sit still

We sit quietly

We get off carefully

We stand and wait

Do your seatbelt up

Don't be mad

Don't go, stand here

Don't push

Don't stand, sit down

Get off carefully

Go and sit

Have a good day

Jump on

Ok, get in

Ok everyone here

Ok let's go to the place to
learn

Ok we are going home now

Open the door

The police might see you
sit still

Shut the door properly

We're here

Ok is your seatbelt on?

Chants to Learn



Pertame Chant

We are Pertame People
We have always been here
Our Language will never
finish
Here we stand

Listening Chant

Eyes looking
Ears listening
Hands to ourselves

Food Prayer

Dear Father
Bless our food
Ok done
All eat up



Classroom Management



English

Pertame

Come here
Come together
Come with me
Copy me
Do you need to go to
the toilet?
Be quiet
Get up
Go
Let's go outside
Listen to me
Listen
Look at me
Put your stuff away
Sit on the mat
Wait at the door
Wash your hands
We are going to sing now
What I do, you do
When I talk, you say it back

Talk
Come inside
Don't run
Be careful
Follow her/him



Discipline Phrases



English

Pertame

Don't Argue
Don't climb
Don't do that again
Don't fight
Don't go over there
Don't make it dirty
Don't pull hair
Don't put that in your
mouth
Don't Run
Don't tease
Don't throw that
Get down
Give that to me
Keep your hands to
yourself
Share your food
Stand a long way from
her/him
Stay close
Who hit you?



Breath, blow, cough



English

Pertame

Close you mouth
Breath through your nose
Breath in
Breath out
Blow your nose
Here is a tissue to clean
your nose
copy me: cough, cough,
cough
Get a wipe
Clean your hands



Going for a Walk



English

Pertame

Let's go outside to walk
around
There's a bird over there
You found a bird
Get the bird
Look up at the sky
The clouds are covering
the sky
No clouds
The sun is hot
Who's shadow is that?
Get it
Grab this
Don't let go
Go carefully/slowly
No running
Keep coming this way
Watch the ground for
snakes
What's this
Ants
Who do that poo?
Goanna hole

Look here
Look there
Look over there!



Obstacle Course



English

Pertame

Copy me
Crawl through here
Fly like a bird
Climb on and stand
Keep going on top
put your foot like this
Don't get off, keep going
Don't fall
Hop like a kangaroo
Don't Touch the Ground

Do a summersault
Move like a snake
Hop on one leg
One at a time
Slow down
Don't fight
Careful
Don't run
Wait
You might hit him
Line up here
Get the stuff and put it
away



Parachute Play.



English

Pertame

Grab here
Throw it back on
I am throwing the blue ball
to top
Run around this way
Run the other way
lift it up
Run underneath
Bring it down
Shake it slowly
Shake it fast
Get the ball
Don't let the balls fall

One at a time
Don't let go
Be careful
get the balls and put it in
here



Toilet Time



English

Pertame

Do you need to go to the toilet?

You busting for piss or poo?

Ok come with me

Take your pants off

Sit on the toilet

You finished?

Get toilet paper and wipe your bum

throw the toilet paper in the water

stand up, put on your pants

flush the toilet, water comes out

You wash your hands with soap

Now go now sit down



Food Time



English

Pertame

Do you want to drink water?
Don't be picky
Don't play with it
Don't spill it
Don't steal
Don't touch other's food
Eat a bit more
Eat your food and you will grow up strong
If you don't eat your food, you won't grow big
Leave it
Ok, you finished?
Put the baby in the high chair
Put your hands together to say a prayer
When you finished, wash your plate and go play
You are very good for eating your food
You thirsty?



Washing Dishes



English

Pertame

Bring your plate to wash
Put it in the water
Get the washer
Wash with soapy water
Put it here to dry
You did really good. Ok
now go play



Washing Hands



English

Pertame

Come wash your hands
before a feed
Stand here
Get the soap
Get your hands soapy
Put your hands under the
water and wash them
Turn the Tap off
Get the towel and dry your
hands
Then go wait for food

Art Language



English

Pertame

Paint it
Mix it together
Press your hand on the
paper
Put it here
You do it like this
Copy me
Rub it out
Paint it red
Paint it white
Paint it black
Get it and stick it on the
paper
Paint it blue
Paint it pink
Paint it orange
Paint it grey
Paint it yellow
Get the scissors and cut
the paper
Cut the paper carefully
Stick it to the paper
Write your name on the
paper
You did a really good job



Weather



English

Pertame

It's cloudy
Today's a good day
Today is raining
The sun is good today
Today is cold
Today is hot
Today there is a lot of
clouds
Rain clouds
Good day, some wind
Rainbow
Cloudy and windy

