

# INCLUSIVE VERBAL COMMUNICATION TIPS

01

# **Avoid hypothetical questions**

Hypothetical questions can often be hard to answer for people with differences in social imagination.

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## Repeat important information

If you're saying a lot but only a small part of it is important. The important stuff may get lost.

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#### Say what you mean

Sometimes abstract language like metaphors and sarcasm can be misunderstood.

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### Be aware of your surroundings

If it's noisy or crowded sensory differences can effect how much someone can concentrate on what you're saying.

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## Allow time for processing

Giving someone time to process what you've said can reduce the chance of them getting overwhelmed.