

ABOUT JOHNNY

Johnny has autism. He is five years of age. He can use a few words, but he communicates mainly with gesture and pointing.

Johnny thrives on routine, and changes in his daily routine can make him upset. Johnny has no food allergies, but he is a very fussy eater and dislikes most foods except for Rice Crispies, peanut butter sandwiches, crackers and bananas. Johnny is toilet-trained. To indicate he wants to go to the toilet he says "pee-pee", please bring him to the bathroom right away. Johnny uses a nappy at night time. When Johnny gets upset, he enjoys sitting on the couch with a big blanket and looking at books until he feels better. Johnny may not look at you when you speak to him, call his name first before you talk to him, and then communicate using short sentences he can understand.



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COMMUNICATION PASSPORT

It has important information about my child.
Please read carefully.



Hi I'm Johnny

I am 5 years old.
I live with my mum and dad and my little sister Mary.
I have a dog called Sleepy.
I go to School to St. Peter's school in Wicklow.
I love riding my scooter.
I communicate by pointing, and I can also say a few words.

About Me

- I like if you smile and speak to me kindly.
- I may not look at you when you talk to me, but I am listening.
- I love music and musical instruments.
- I love tickles and rough and tumble play.
- I love my dog Sleepy, and I enjoy playing with him in the garden.
- I like my routine, and I might get upset when there are unexpected changes.

What Makes Me Upset

- People touching my head or putting a hat on my head makes me very upset.
- Loud noises make me upset, I will cover my ears, and I might cry if the sound is too loud.
- I might get upset if there are unexpected changes to my daily routine.

My Routine

- When I get up, I have breakfast right away.
- After breakfast, I brush my teeth, and I play.
- I always have lunch at 12.30 pm, and I watch TV after lunch for an hour.
- After TV time I go for a walk in the park. If it rains, I go to the shopping centre, and my mum gets me hot chocolate.
- I always have dinner at 5 pm.

What I Eat

- I don't like eating most foods, and I can even get upset when other people at the table are eating things that I don't like.
- Foods that I like are Rice Crispies, peanut butter sandwiches, crackers, sausages, bananas and milk.

What Makes me Happy

- I like music and people singing to me.
- I love tickles.
- Jumping on the trampoline.
- Looking at books.
- Playing with musical instruments.
- My favourite cartoon is Fireman Sam.
- I love Fireman Sam books, stickers and toys.

How I Communicate

- I will understand you are talking to me if you use my name.
- Use short sentences and short instructions when you speak to me.
- I use some words to request things, such as mum, toast and milk.
- I often point to things to communicate.
- I get upset when people can't understand me, so please be patient with me.