

## Toddlers' Vocabulary Arranged by Frequency

**REFERENCE:** Banajee, M., Dicarlo, C., & Stricklin, S. B. (2003). Core vocabulary determination for toddlers. *Augmentative and Alternative Communication*, 19, 67-73.

The core words on this list comprise 96.3% of the total words used by toddlers in the study conducted by Banajee, Dicarlo, and Stricklin.

Words	Percentage
1. I	9.5
2. no	8.5
3. yes/yeah	7.6
4. the	5.2
5. want	5.0
6. is	4.9
7. it	4.9
8. that	4.9
9. a	4.6
10. go	4.4
11. my	3.8
12. mine	3.8
13. you	3.2
14. what	3.1
15. on	2.8
16. in	2.7
17. here	2.7
18. more	2.6
19. out	2.4
20. off	2.3
21. some	2.3
22. help	2.1
23. all done/finished	1.0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>96.3%</b>

### Alphabetical List of 26 Individual Words

- |             |          |          |
|-------------|----------|----------|
| 1. a        | 10. is   | 19. some |
| 2. all      | 11. it   | 20. that |
| 3. done     | 12. mine | 21. the  |
| 4. finished | 13. more | 22. want |
| 5. go       | 14. my   | 23. what |
| 6. help     | 15. no   | 24. yeah |
| 7. here     | 16. off  | 25. yes  |
| 8. I        | 17. on   | 26. you  |
| 9. in       | 18. out  |          |