By age 3 years cannot:

- Be understood by family and/or caregivers
- Correctly produce vowels and such sounds as p, b, m, w in words
- Repeat when not understood without becoming frustrated

By age 4 years cannot:

- Be understood by individuals with whom they do not a
- Be understood by family and/or caregivers
- Correctly produce t, d, k, g, f
- Be asked to repeat without becoming sensitive

By age 5 years cannot:

- Be understood in all situations by most listeners
- Correctly produce most speech sounds
- Be asked to repeat without exhibiting frustration