The Communication Pyramid

What is the Communication Pyramid?

The communication pyramid describes how speech, language and communication skills are developed in a hierarchy; with a ‘foundation’ of the preceding skill required for the development of the next.

Speech and Language Therapists use this model to help them decide what speech, language and/or communication aims are appropriate for a child with communication difficulties, for example if a child has receptive and expressive difficulties and speech difficulties, we would usually work on the receptive difficulties first.