

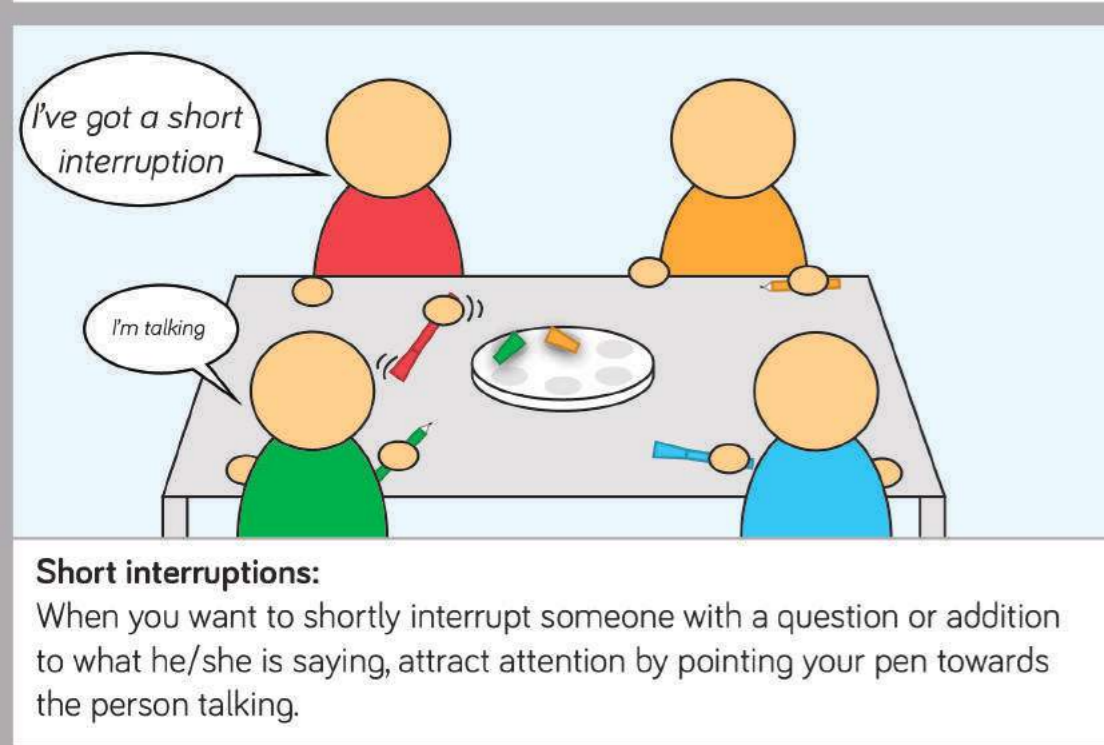
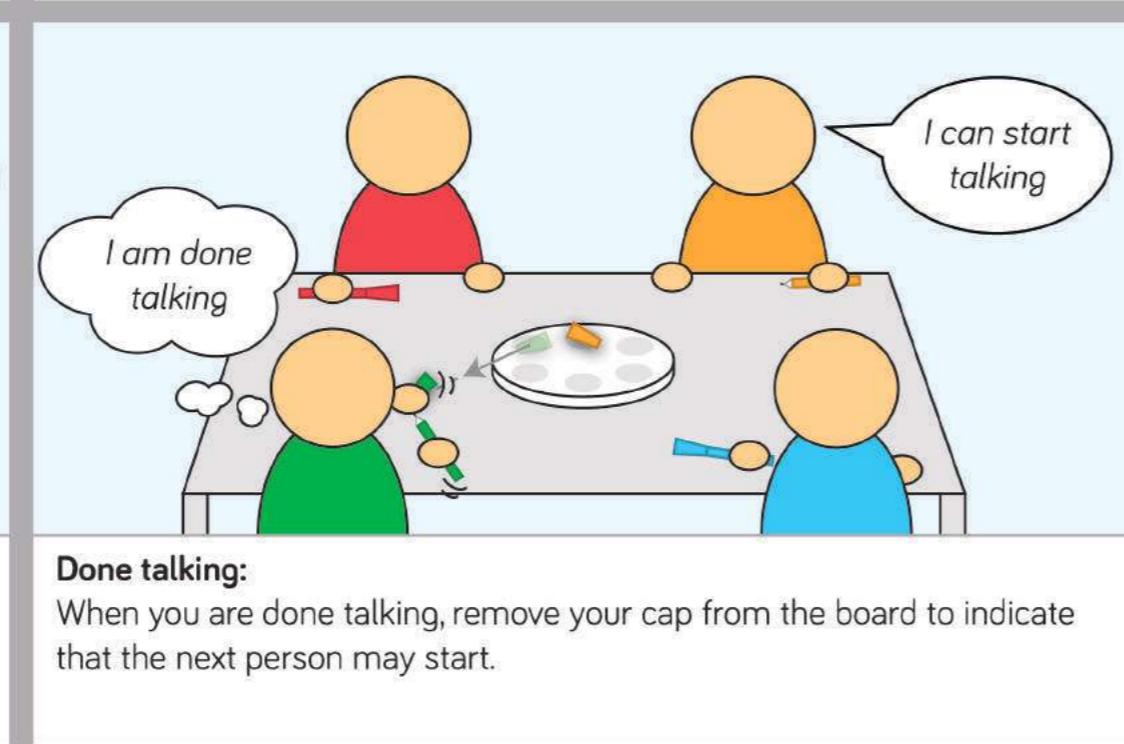
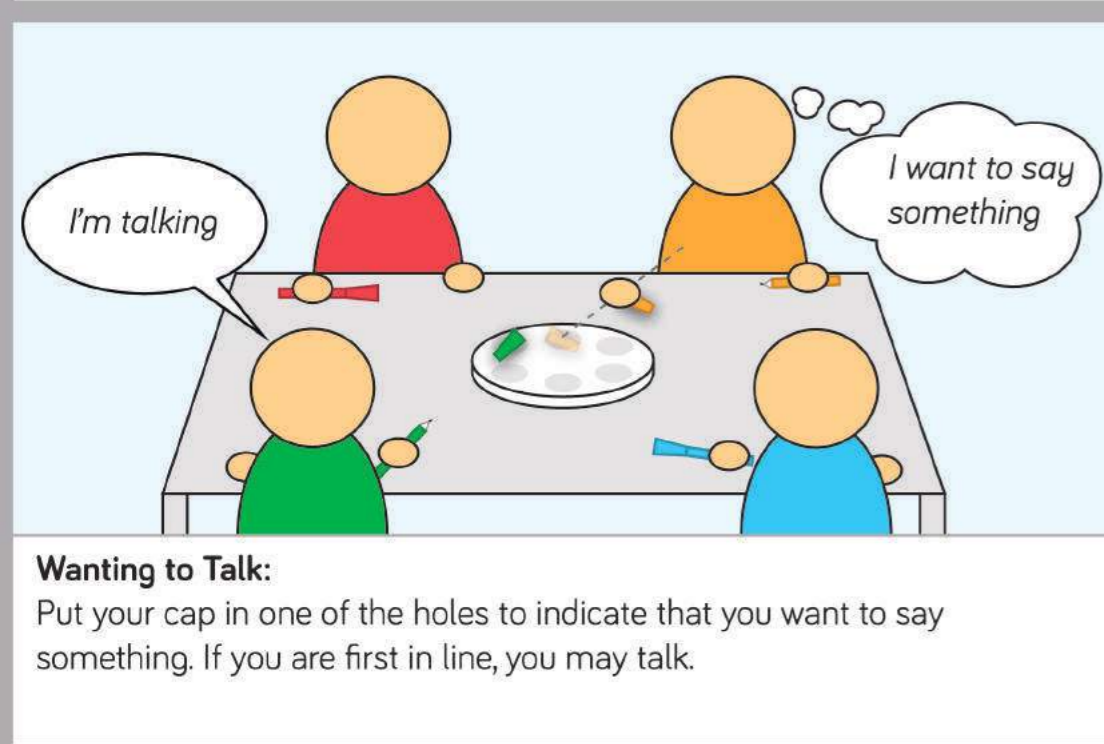
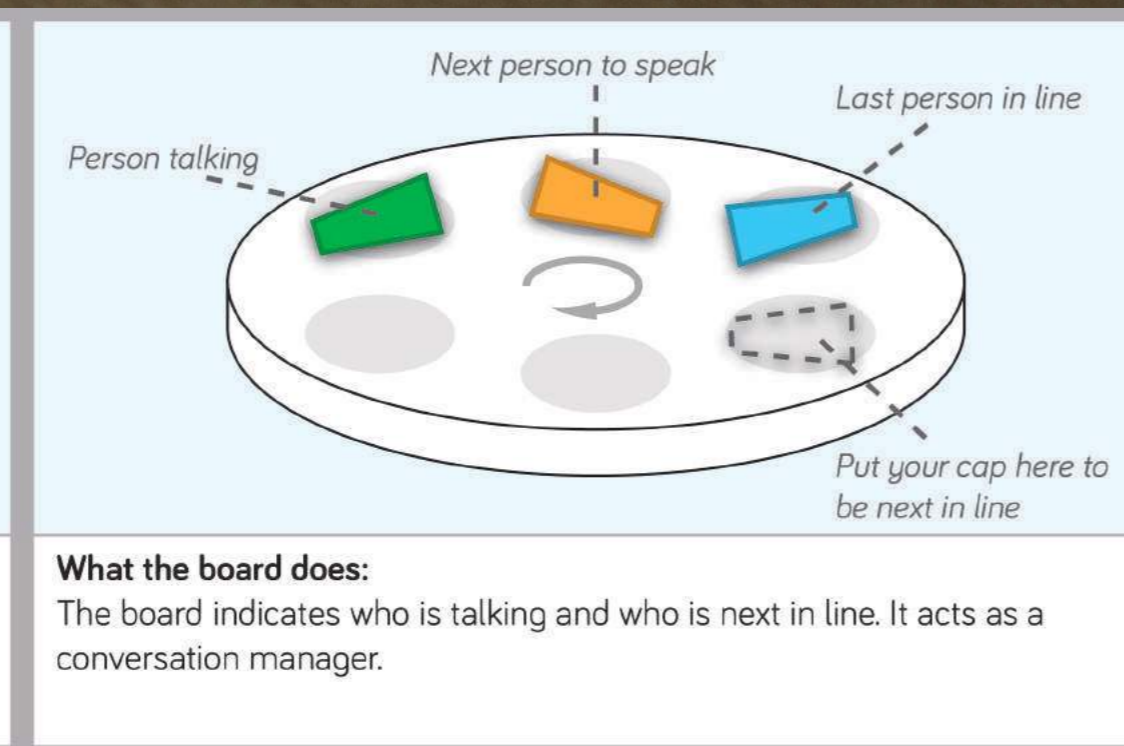
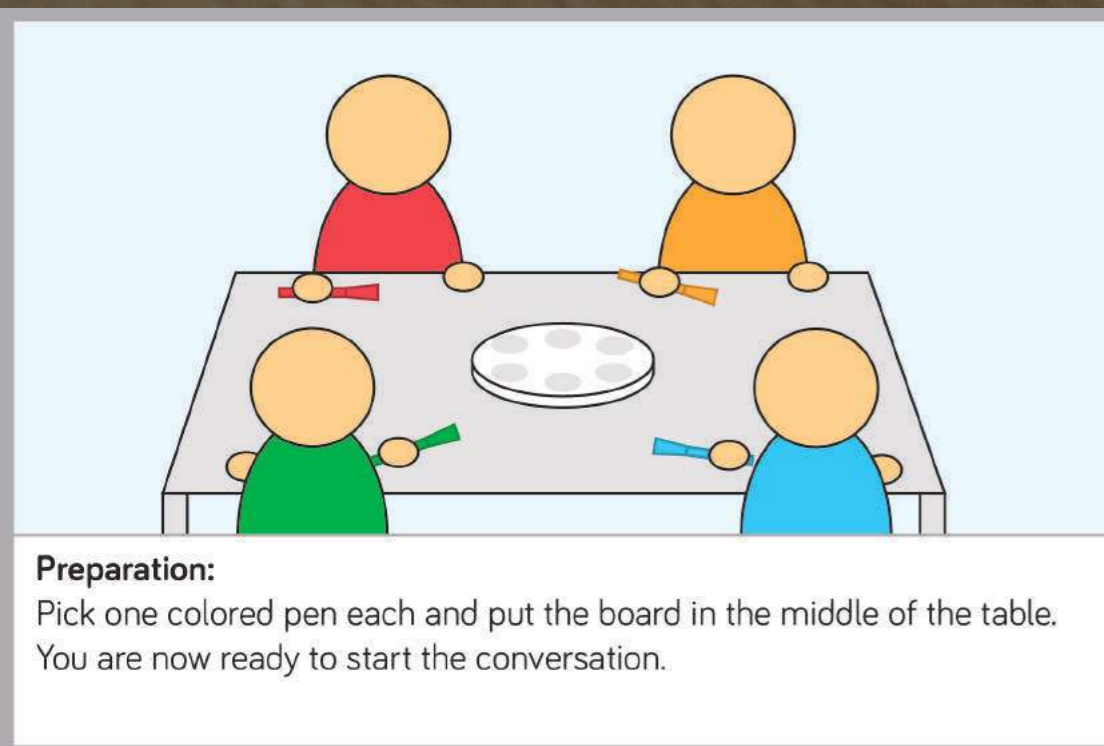
Speak Up!



My design goal is:

“to ease the process for people with speech difficulties to express themselves in a group discussion at work or school.”

“The interaction should be like shifting gears while driving a car.”
Intuitive - In Control - Focused



Some Tips:

- The rules are just there for guidance. Do not feel forced by them.
- Use the rules in a flexible way. Do what feels right.
- You are still allowed to make sounds and breathe. Even when it's not your turn to talk.
- Using this toolkit takes some practice. Don't worry, after a while you will get the hang of it.



“I think that it also needs some practice; familiarization is very important. It will only get easier. The system works fine for me.”

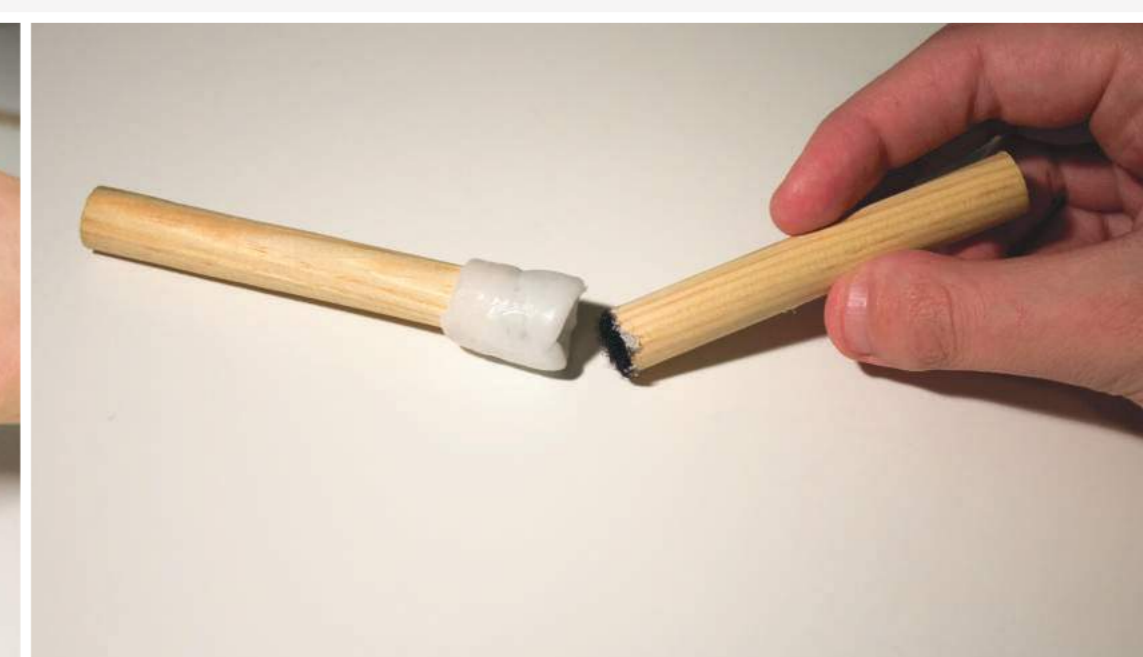
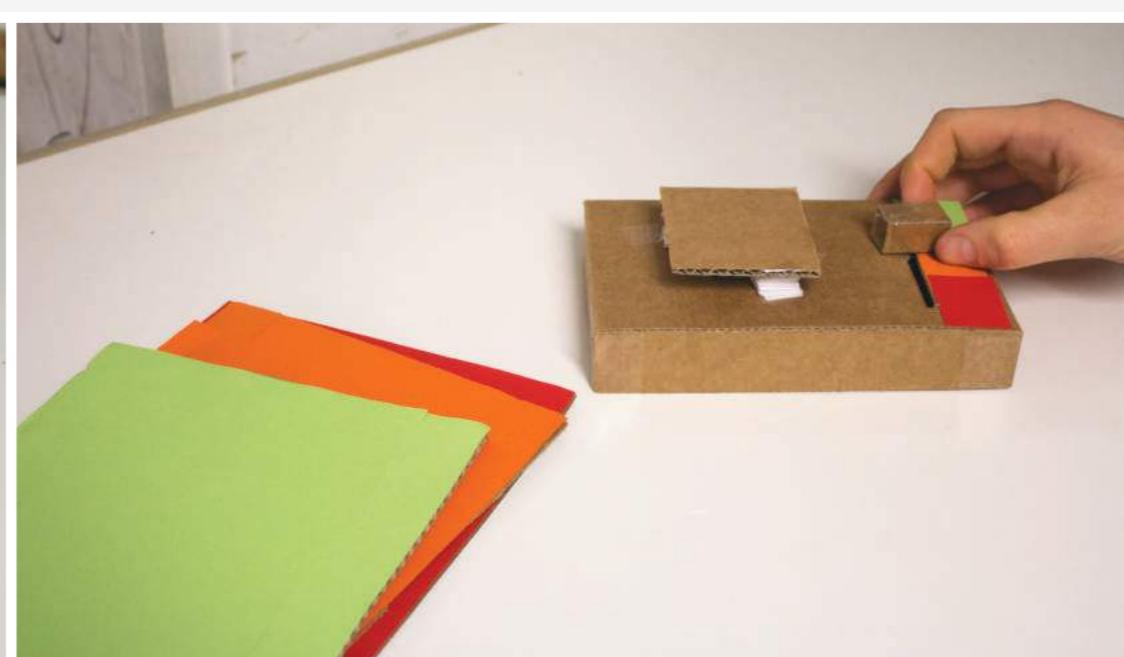
- Student with speech difficulty

“It helps you to have structure in your head. You know when it's your turn and that everybody knows that”

- Student without speech difficulty

“I noticed that there was some kind of tranquility in our conversation, which maybe helps to better listen to each other.”

- Student without speech difficulty



“Grab a green blob when you want to say something, put it back when you are done. Grab orange for shot interruptions.”

“Put the gear to orange or red when you can't keep up with the speed of the conversation. Press the brake if it's total chaos.”

“Move the ! to the front when you want to say something and the ? when you have a question.”

“Break the stick in half when you want to say something. Point the stick to someone when you have a question.”