Modify your teaching when the child’s learning goal is too difficult:
  • Select a simpler learning goal.
  • Teach a simpler version or a part of the skill.

Modify your teaching when the child’s learning goal is too easy:
  • Select a “next step” curriculum goal.
  • Teach a more complicated part of the skill.

Adjust your teaching strategies in many ways:
  • Encourage children to learn by giving them activities that connect to what they enjoy.
  • Give children opportunities to learn content at different times of the day.
  • Provide more opportunities for practice.
  • Provide supportive equipment or materials.
  • Allow more time for children to respond.
  • Provide more assistance from peers or adults.
  • Provide more encouragement through feedback.
  • Ask for ideas from a specialist, family members, or others on your teaching team.

Throughout the year, continue to gather assessment information and adjust your teaching.