Conversation

Children learn to carry on a conversation by having it modeled for them. Starting from infancy, it is good to make eye contact with your child and interact with their vocalizations! How does this work?

- While keeping eye contact with your child, ask them a question that can't be answered with a "yes" or "no."
- When they make a noise or answer the question, reply back to them, maintaining eye contact.
- Continue this "conversation" until you've interacted at least 5 times.

What this is teaching:

Your child is learning that it's important to maintain eye contact when talking to someone and conversation is more than one interaction.