Peer Mediation

Get their attention
- Say their name
- Touch their arm (if appropriate)
- Ask a question, or tell them something
- A common interest is a great place to start

Wait for a response
- Wait about 10 seconds
- Look at them expectantly

No response
- Prompt
  - Use their name
  - Tell them to ask you a question, tell you something, or use a cue card.

Responds
- Keep the conversation going
  - Ask open-ended questions
  - Share information
  - Repeat or clarify
  - Use simpler sentences if they didn’t seem to understand
  - Redirect the conversation if it is repetitive or off-topic.

No response
- Persevere
  - Tell them something or ask them a question
  - Continue sharing and prompting them for a response.

Responds