Core Skills Analysis

Communication Skills

- Through 'talking jiberish,' the student may have improved their improvisation skills by learning to think on their feet and respond quickly.
- This activity could have enhanced the student's active listening skills as they needed to pay attention to their partner's 'jiberish' and respond appropriately.
- By engaging in 'talking jiberish,' the student may have developed their non-verbal communication skills, such as using gestures and expressions to convey meaning.
- This activity might have encouraged the student to be more confident in their verbal communication, as they had to communicate effectively despite the nonsensical language.

Tips

To further enhance communication skills through activities like 'talking jiberish,' students can practice active listening in daily interactions, participate in improv classes to boost thinking on their feet, try learning a new language to understand the nuances of communication, and engage in storytelling exercises to improve narrative abilities.

Book Recommendations

- Improv Wisdom: Don't Prepare, Just Show Up by Patricia Ryan Madson: This book offers insights on how improvisation can enhance communication skills and creativity.
- <u>Talk Like TED: The 9 Public-Speaking Secrets of the World's Top Minds</u> by Carmine Gallo: A
 guide to effective communication based on TED Talks, providing techniques for impactful
 speaking.
- <u>Crucial Conversations: Tools for Talking When Stakes Are High</u> by Kerry Patterson, Joseph Grenny, Ron McMillan, Al Switzler: Learn how to navigate challenging conversations and improve communication in various contexts.