

# Developmental Milestone Checklist

## 18-24 Months Old

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### Cognitive

- Nests 4 graduated sized cups
- Matches sounds to specific animals
- Identifies 6 body parts upon request
- Follows a simple 2-part request
- Activates multiple mechanical toys
- Names pictures in picture book
- Places a circle, square, triangle pieces into a puzzle
- Points to pieces of clothing upon request
- Recognizes self in a photograph

### Language/Communication

- Uses vocabulary of 50 words (by 24 months old)
- Refers to self using own name
- Imitates saying 2-word phrases
- Spontaneously speaks using 2-word phrases
- Imitates sounds in environment (i.e. animals, cars etc...)

### Gross Motor

- Runs in a straight line without losing balance
- Propels a ride toy without pedals forward
- Kicks a ball forward
- Throws a ball overhand toward at intended target
- Walks up and down stairs with 1 hand held

### Fine Motor

- Imitates a vertical line drawn
- Imitates a circular scribble drawn (approximately 24 months)
- Holds a crayon using his thumb and fingers
- Stacks a tower of 6 one-inch cubes (24 months)
- Strings 1 one-inch bead

### Social

- Comforts other children who are upset
- Begins to interact with peers
- Engages in parallel play with peers
- May experience jealousy
- Experiences temper tantrums

### Self-Care

- Scooping food and feeding self with spoon
- Weaning off of the bottle
- Participates in washing and drying his hands
- Sitting on potty chair with assistance (Potty Training)

Additional Notes: