

Always— Safety First!



- Use board books with your baby.
- Make sure toys and pacifiers have no strings attached.
- Do not use rattles or stuffed animals with wires inside.
- Do not use toys with glued pieces that may come off.
- Examine toys and toss out broken and cracked ones.
- Remove all dangling cords or secure them out of baby's reach.
- Make sure all materials are non-flammable and non-toxic.
- Use toy boxes without lids.
- Use safety latches on cupboards.
- Turn pot handles inward when on the stove.
- Keep refrigerator magnets high.
- Use wastebaskets with secure lids.
- Set hot water temperature under 120 degrees and always test before bathing baby.
- Keep all cosmetics, medicines, and cleaning products in child-proof containers or in locked cabinets.
- Position and secure car seat properly.
- Do not use plastic bags to store baby's items.
- Use a changing table with straps and one that has drawers to store items out of baby's reach.
- Cover all outlets with safety plates.
- Make sure your smoke detector is working.



Remember—Child-proofing is an ongoing process and must follow your baby's development.