

**COMPOSITE REGIONAL CENTRE FOR SKILL DEVELOPMENT, REHABILITATION & EMPOWERMENT
OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES [CRC - KOZHIKODE]**

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Department of Speech & Hearing CRC Kozhikode
Check Developmental Milestone at age of 6 Month

Young child plays, talk, smile and different acts offers important clues about child's development. These developmental milestones are very important gives clues about things most children can do by a certain age. Parent needs to understand it and check the milestones level of the child.

Appears shy or nervous with strangers
Cries when mother or father leaves
Shows favourite things and people
Makes sound or actions to get attention from family members
Puts out arm or leg to help with dressing
Enjoys games such as "peek-a-boo" and "pat-a-cake"
Responds to simple spoken requests like "come here"
Uses simple gestures, like "no" or waving "bye-bye"
Tries to imitate words or sounds (sounds like speech)
Says "mama" and "dada" and exclamations like "uh-oh!"
Explores toys by shaking, banging, throwing
Finds hidden things
Looks at the right picture or thing when it's named
Copies gestures and imitate like drinks from a cup
Puts things in a container, takes things out of a container
Gets attention from other by pokes with index (pointer) finger
Follows simple directions like "pick up the toy"

Act fast if you notice any of these signs

- Doesn't try to get things that are in reach
- Shows no affection for any family member
- Doesn't respond to loud sounds like whistle, clap
- Doesn't respond to any sound around him like
- Has difficulty getting things to mouth
- Doesn't vocalize with vowel sounds ("ah", "eh", "oh")
- Doesn't roll over in either direction
- Doesn't laugh or make squealing sounds
- Having very stiff, with tight muscles
- Having very floppy muscle

If you notice any of these signs of possible developmental delay for this age. Please contact CRC Kozhikode for detail assessment and get enrolled early intervention program.

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Check Developmental Milestone at age of 12 Months

Young child plays, talk, smile and different acts offers important clues about child's development. These developmental milestones are very important gives clues about things most children can do by a certain age. Parent needs to understand it and check the milestones level of the child.

Cries when mom or dad leaves
Afraid of strangers
Shows affection to familiar people
Hands you a book when he wants to hear a story
Repeats sounds or actions to get attention
Puts out arm or leg to help with dressing
Plays games such as "peek-a-boo" and "pat-a-cake"
Vocalize sounds with changes in tone
Says "mama" and "dada"
Try to imitate adult speech
Points and show what he wants, Knows common house hold like telephone, brush, spoon.
Points to get the attention of others, Points to one body part,
Scribbles circle, copies gestures
Gets to a sitting position without help ,Pulls up to stand, walks holding on to furniture ("cruising"), May take a few steps without holding on , May stand alone

Act fast if you notice any of these signs

- Not able to crawl
- Not able to stand when supported
- Not able to say single words like "mama" or "dada"
- Not able to learn gestures like waving or shaking head
- Not able to point to things
Loses skills he once learned
- Doesn't respond to even loud sound
- Doesn't shows interest in talk, music
- Doesn't respond to his / her name

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Check Developmental Milestone at age of 18 Months

Young child plays, talk, smile and different acts offers important clues about child's development. These developmental milestones are very important gives clues about things most children can do by a certain age. Parent needs to understand it and check the milestones level of the child.

Shows temper tantrums
Afraid of strangers
Shows affection to familiar people
Plays simple pretend, such as feeding a doll
May take to caregivers in new situations
Points to show others something interesting
Explores alone but with parent close by
Says several single words, Says and shakes head "no"
Points and show what he wants, Knows common house hold like telephone, brush, spoon.
Points to get the attention of others, Points to one body part,
Scribbles on his own, Can follow 1-step verbal commands without any gestures; like sits when you say "sit down", Walks alone, May walk up steps and run, Pulls toys while walking, Can help undress herself, Drinks from a cup q Eats with a spoon

Act fast if you notice any of these signs

- Not able to stand and walk alone
- Not able to copy others
- Not able to gain new words
- Not able to have at least 6 meaningful words
- Not able to learn gestures like waving or shaking head
- Doesn't point to things
- Loses skills he once learned
- Doesn't respond to even loud sound
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Check Developmental Milestone at age of 24 Months

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imitate others, especially adults and older children
Gets excited when with other children
Shows more and more independence
Shows defiant behavior (doing what he has been told not to)
Plays mainly beside other children, but is beginning to include other children. Points to things when they are named
Knows names of familiar people and body parts
Says sentences with 2 to 4 words, Follows simple instructions
Repeats words overheard in conversation,
Completes sentences and rhymes in familiar books, Plays simple make-believe games , Builds towers of 4 or more blocks , Might use one hand more than the other , Follows two-step instructions such as "Pick up your toys and put them in the basket
Stands on tiptoe, Kicks a ball, Begins to run, Climbs onto and down from furniture without help, Walks up and down stairs holding on , Throws ball overhand, copy line and circle

Acts fast if you notice any of these sign

- Not able to speak 2-word phrases (like "give milk")
- Not able know what to do with common things, like a brush, phone, fork, spoon
- Not able copy actions and words
- Not able to follow simple instructions
- Not able to walk steadily
- Loses skills he once learned
- Doesn't respond to even loud sound
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