





# 27 Month Questionnaire

25 months 16 days  
through 28 months 15 days

On the following pages are questions about activities children may do. Your child may have already done some of the activities described here, and there may be some your child has not begun doing yet. For each item, please fill in the circle that indicates whether your child is doing the activity regularly, sometimes, or not yet.

### Important Points to Remember:

- Try each activity with your child before marking a response.
- Make completing this questionnaire a game that is fun for you and your child.
- Make sure your child is rested and fed.
- Please return this questionnaire by \_\_\_\_\_.

### Notes:

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At this age, many toddlers may not be cooperative when asked to do things. You may need to try the following activities with your child more than one time. If possible, try the activities when your child is cooperative. If your child can do the activity but refuses, mark "yes" for the item.

## COMMUNICATION

	YES	SOMETIMES	NOT YET	
1. Without your giving him clues by pointing or using gestures, can your child carry out at least <i>three</i> of these kinds of directions?	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—
<input type="radio"/> a. "Put the toy on the table." <input type="radio"/> d. "Find your coat." <input type="radio"/> b. "Close the door." <input type="radio"/> e. "Take my hand." <input type="radio"/> c. "Bring me a towel." <input type="radio"/> f. "Get your book."				
2. If you point to a picture of a ball (kitty, cup, hat, etc.) and ask your child, "What is this?" does your child correctly <i>name</i> at least one picture?	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—
3. When you ask her to point to her nose, eyes, hair, feet, ears, and so forth, does your child correctly point to at least <i>seven</i> body parts? ( <i>She can point to parts of herself, you, or a doll. Mark "sometimes" if she correctly points to at least three different body parts.</i> )	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—
4. Does your child correctly use at least two words like "me," "I," "mine," and "you"?	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—
5. Does your child make sentences that are three or four words long? Please give an example:	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—
Give me that , Lets go out				
6. Without giving your child help by pointing or using gestures, ask him to "put the book on the table" and "put the shoe <i>under</i> the chair." Does your child carry out both of these directions correctly?	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—
COMMUNICATION TOTAL				<u>55</u>

GROSS MOTOR

YES                      SOMETIMES                      NOT YET

1. Does your child walk either up or down at least two steps by himself? He may hold onto the railing or wall. (You can look for this at a store, on a playground, or at home.)



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2. Does your child run fairly well, stopping herself without bumping into things or falling?



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3. Does your child jump with both feet leaving the floor at the same time?



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4. Without holding onto anything for support, does your child kick a ball by swinging his leg forward?



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5. Does your child jump forward at least 3 inches with both feet leaving the ground at the same time?



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6. Does your child walk up stairs, using only one foot on each stair? (The left foot is on one step, and the right foot is on the next.) She may hold onto the railing or wall.



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GROSS MOTOR TOTAL

50

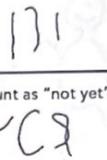
\*If Gross Motor Item 6 is marked "yes" or "sometimes," mark Gross Motor Item 1 "yes."

**FINE MOTOR**

- 1. Does your child use a turning motion with her hand while trying to turn doorknobs, wind up toys, twist tops, or screw lids on and off jars?
- 2. Does your child flip switches off and on?
- 3. After your child watches you draw a line from the top of the paper to the bottom with a pencil, crayon, or pen, ask him to make a line like yours. Do not let your child trace your line. Does your child copy you by drawing a single line in a vertical direction?

Count as "yes"

Count as "not yet"



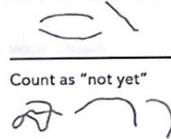
- 4. Does your child stack seven small blocks or toys on top of each other by herself? (You could also use spools of thread, small boxes, or toys that are about 1 inch in size.)
- 5. Can your child string small items such as beads, macaroni, or pasta "wagon wheels" onto a string or shoelace?



- 6. After your child watches you draw a line from one side of the paper to the other side, ask her to make a line like yours. Do not let your child trace your line. Does your child copy you by drawing a single line in a horizontal direction?

Count as "yes"

Count as "not yet"



YES      SOMETIMES      NOT YET

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FINE MOTOR TOTAL

30

**PROBLEM SOLVING**

- 1. Does your child pretend objects are something else? For example, does your child hold a cup to his ear, pretending it is a telephone? Does he put a box on her head, pretending it is a hat? Does he use a block or small toy to stir food?
- 2. Does your child put things away where they belong? For example, does she know her toys belong on the toy shelf, her blanket goes on her bed, and dishes go in the kitchen?
- 3. When looking in the mirror, ask "Where is \_\_\_\_\_?" (Use your child's name.) Does your child point to his image in the mirror?
- 4. If your child wants something she cannot reach, does she find a chair or box to stand on to reach it (for example, to get a toy on a counter or to "help" you in the kitchen)?

YES      SOMETIMES      NOT YET

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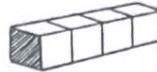
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**PROBLEM SOLVING** (continued)

5. While your child watches, line up four objects like blocks or cars in a row. Does your child copy or imitate you and line up *four* objects in a row? (You can also use spools of thread, small boxes, or other toys.)



YES	SOMETIMES	NOT YET	
<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—

6. When you point to the figure and ask your child, "What is this?" does your child say a word that means a person or something similar? (Mark "yes" for responses like "snowman," "boy," "man," "girl," "Daddy," "spaceman," and "monkey.") Please write your child's response here:



baby

YES	SOMETIMES	NOT YET	
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—

PROBLEM SOLVING TOTAL

50

**PERSONAL-SOCIAL**

1. If you do any of the following gestures, does your child copy at least one of them?

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| <input type="radio"/> a. Open and close your mouth. | <input type="radio"/> c. Pull on your earlobe. |
| <input type="radio"/> b. Blink your eyes.           | <input type="radio"/> d. Pat your cheek.       |

YES	SOMETIMES	NOT YET	
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—

2. Does your child eat with a fork?

YES	SOMETIMES	NOT YET	
<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—

3. When playing with either a stuffed animal or a doll, does your child pretend to rock it, feed it, change its diapers, put it to bed, and so forth?

YES	SOMETIMES	NOT YET	
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—

4. Does your child push a little wagon, stroller, or other toy on wheels, steering it around objects and backing out of corners if he cannot turn?

YES	SOMETIMES	NOT YET	
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—

5. Does your child call herself "I" or "me" more often than her own name? For example, "I do it" more often than "Juanita do it."

YES	SOMETIMES	NOT YET	
<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—

6. Does your child put on a coat, jacket, or shirt by himself?

YES	SOMETIMES	NOT YET	
<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	—

PERSONAL-SOCIAL TOTAL

50

**OVERALL**

Parents and providers may use the space below for additional comments.

1. Do you think your child hears well? If no, explain:

YES

NO

2. Do you think your child talks like other toddlers her age? If no, explain:

YES

NO

3. Can you understand most of what your child says? If no, explain:

YES

NO

4. Do you think your child walks, runs, and climbs like other toddlers his age?  
If no, explain:

YES

NO

5. Does either parent have a family history of childhood deafness or hearing  
impairment? If yes, explain:

YES

NO

6. Do you have concerns about your child's vision? If yes, explain:

YES

NO

**OVERALL** (continued)

7. Has your child had any medical problems in the last several months? If yes, explain:

 YES NO

8. Do you have any concerns about your child's behavior? If yes, explain:

 YES NO

9. Does anything about your child worry you? If yes, explain:

 YES NO