

21-24 MONTHS

Language Development

Language Comprehension

- Choose 1 object out of 5 on request
- Follow simple commands
- Follow a two part related command
- Understands new words

Language Expression

- Uses 2 word phrases
- Uses 50 different words
- Uses new words often
- Relates own experiences
- Uses 3 word phrases sometimes
- Refers to own self by name
- Uses early pronouns sometimes

Using Gestures

- Gestures to seek action
- Gestures to express toilet needs
- Pretends to pour liquid from a cup
- Pushes a push toy, e.g. stroller, cart
- Pretends to fly like an airplane

Dramatic Play

- Puts own toys away on request
- Attempts to fix a toy that is broken
- Stacks and constructs objects and toys