

the ultimate baby registry checklist

*THESE ITEMS ARE ESSENTIAL!

little
baby
registry

clothing

PARENT-TO-PARENT TIP:

Babies grow out of newborn clothes almost instantly, so register for a range of sizes from 0–12 months.

PARENT-TO-PARENT TIP:

Those folds at the shoulders? They're for slipping bodysuits down the body for easier changing.

- 4–6 SHORT-SLEEVE BODYSUITS*
- 4–6 LONG-SLEEVE BODYSUITS
- 4–6 PAJAMAS & FOOTIES*
- TAKE-ME-HOME OUTFIT
- SPECIAL OCCASION OUTFIT
- 3 SWEATERS*
- 1–2 JACKETS OR SNOWSUITS*
- 6–8 BOTTOMS*
- HATS, HEADBANDS, AND MITTENS*
- 7–10 SOCKS OR BOOTIES
- HANGERS & DRAWER DIVIDERS

diapering

- DIAPER BAG
- WIPES*
- DIAPERS (NEWBORN & SIZE 1)*
- DIAPER CADDY
- DIAPER PAIL & LINERS*
- DIAPER CREAM
- CHANGING PAD*
- 2–3 CHANGING PAD COVERS

activities & play

- BOUNCER
- SWING
- BOOKS
- RATTLES
- PLUSH TOYS
- STROLLER & CAR SEAT TOYS
- ACTIVITY GYM & PLAYMAT
- STACKING TOYS & SHAPE SORTERS

travel

- 1–2 BABY CARRIERS*
- PLAY YARD
- WEARABLE BREAST PUMP
- CHANGING PAD
- DIAPER CLUTCH
- PORTABLE HIGH CHAIR
- PORTABLE NOISE MACHINE
- AUDIO MONITOR
- CAR SEAT STORAGE BAG

nursery

PARENT-TO-PARENT TIP:

Having trouble swaddling? Try one with Velcro!

- BASSINET
- 3–5 SWADDLE BLANKETS*
- 3–5 SLEEP SACKS*
- CRIB*
- CRIB MATTRESS*
- CRIB MATTRESS COVER
- 3–4 CRIB SHEETS*
- BABY BLANKET
- CHANGING TABLE
- DRESSER
- GLIDER OR ROCKER
- MOBILE
- DÉCOR
- STORAGE
- LIGHTING
- MONITOR*
- SOUND MACHINE*

bath

PARENT-TO-PARENT TIP:

To keep your baby warm at bathtime, place a washcloth on their belly and wash their hair last.

- BATHTUB*
- 2–3 HOODED BATH TOWELS*
- 3–4 WASHCLOTHS*
- MILD SOAP
- MILD LOTION
- BATH TOYS

health & safety

PARENT-TO-PARENT TIP:

A small, rounded baby nail scissor is more precise (and less scary to use) than a clipper.

- SAFETY GATES*
- CHILD-PROOFING KIT*
- TEETHERS
- THERMOMETER*
- FIRST AID KIT*
- NASAL ASPIRATOR*
- HUMIDIFIER
- BABY GROOMING KIT
- MILD LAUNDRY DETERGENT

strollers & car seats

PARENT-TO-PARENT TIP:

Babies need to lay almost flat in their stroller until they can hold up their head (around 5 months).

PARENT-TO-PARENT TIP:

Consider getting an extra car seat base if you have more than one car.

- FULL-SIZE STROLLER*
- JOGGING STROLLER
- TRAVEL STROLLER
- STROLLER ACCESSORIES (SNACK TRAY, FOOTMUFF, CUPHOLDER)
- INFANT CAR SEAT*
- EXTRA CAR SEAT BASE
- CAR ACCESSORIES (BACK SEAT MIRROR, WINDOW SHADES)
- CONVERTIBLE CAR SEAT
- WAGON
- STROLLER BASSINET

feeding & nursing

PARENT-TO-PARENT TIP:

Try a range of bottle brands before committing. Babies are notoriously picky. Ditto pacifiers!

- 4–10 BOTTLES & EXTRA NIPPLES*
- 8–14 BURP CLOTHS*
- BOTTLE STERILIZER
- BOTTLE WARMER
- BOTTLE CLEANING BRUSH*
- FORMULA MIXER
- HIGH CHAIR*
- 10–14 BIBS*
- BOWLS & UTENSILS
- SIPPY CUPS
- PACIFIERS & PACIFIER CLIPS
- FOOD PROCESSOR
- BREAST MILK STORAGE BAGS
- NIPPLE CREAM
- NURSING PADS
- BREAST PUMP
- NURSING PRIVACY COVER
- NURSING BRAS & CLOTHING
- NURSING PILLOW
- BOTTLE DRYING RACK*

extras

- PHOTO ALBUM
- PHOTO FRAMES
- DIGITAL FRAME
- MONTHLY PHOTO BLOCKS OR MAT
- PIGGY BANK
- PARENTING BOOKS

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