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BIRTH to 7 YEARS

EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT CHECKLIST

The newly published version of the
'Development of the child Checklist'

Now also available in Afrikaans

'Mylpale vir Kinder ontwikkeling'

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Also includes age-appropriate stimulation activities

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You will be able to use this checklist, as a **guideline**, to determine if a child is functioning according to his/her age level and as a guideline for age-appropriate stimulation activities.

This book will be useful to:

- Teachers
- Parents
- Therapists (OT's, social workers, psychologists, etc.)
- Students (studying occupational therapy / educational psychology / foundation phase teaching / pre-primary teaching, etc.)
- Pre-schools
- Primary schools (Foundation phase)
- Special needs schools

Developmental checklist 139 =pages

Age appropriate stimulation activities 24 = pages

The book is available in soft cover A5 size.

This is not a standardized test.

The book is published by RandomHouseStruik.

The following developmental areas are covered in the checklist:

Movement	Communication	Personality traits / temperament	Senses
Ball skills	Perception	Activities of daily living	Teeth
Cognitive skills	Coordination	Grasp and hand function	Prepositions
Basic concepts	Body concept	Number concept	Sleeping
Form concept	Colour concept	Size concept	Feeding / eating
Building with blocks	Working with beads	Cutting with scissors	Drawing a person
Drawing / painting	Drawing a person	Picture-reading	Drawing / painting

Some example pages taken from the checklist

PLAY



5 - 6 MONTHS

- Shows interest in toys

8 - 9 MONTHS

- Prefers complex, new toys

9 - 10 MONTHS

- Replicate-play (on a basic/simple level) e.g. imitate mother on telephone with phone to ear

11 - 12 MONTHS

- Plays with cup, saucer, spoon

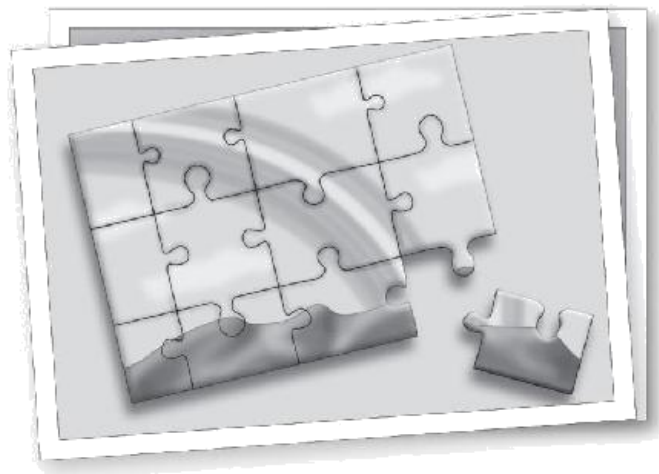
1 YEAR

- Pushes/hands toys to others
- Starts with pretend-play
- Plays alone but looks for adults if left on his own for too long
- Interested in cars
- Starts to become curious about experimenting with objects

1 YEAR 6 MONTHS

- Able to pick up toys and put them away
- Parallel play
- Helps with simple household-chores

PERCEPTION



FORM CONSTANCY

3 YEARS

- Is able to discriminate between a circle and a square

4 YEARS

- Is able to discriminate between a circle and an oval

5 YEARS

- Describes objects according to their forms (circle, triangle, square, rectangle)

FOREGROUND-BACKGROUND

3 YEARS

- Identifies pictures in a book
- Watches people

4 YEARS

- Looks for different objects in pictures
- Starts to realise that he is part of many

4 YEARS 6 MONTHS

- Sees details in a picture that do not relate to the story

5 YEARS

- Differentiates one object amongst five others (on paper)

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