Developmental Milestone Check List

Five Years

Print this list and check the activities your child can do. Share it with your child's health care professional or teacher or keep for your records.

	Child's Name		Child's age
Children at this age can talk with others, answer "How many?" and tell the difference between shapes, toys, and pictures on cards. They can tell you their birthday, name feelings, dress themselves, march in time to music and tell the difference between real and make-believe.			
What	activities might your child do?		
	Can name three coins		Can put on t-shirt
	Can define five words		Knows front from back of clothing
	Can count four or more things and		Can brush his teeth
	answer "how many?"		Can catch a bounced ball
Ц	Can talk with others		Can skip
	Can match a spoken word to a picture		Can march in time to music
	Can tell you what is the same or different (between shapes, toys, pictures on cards)		Can copy a cross (+) or an x
			Can draw a person (stick figure with 3-6 parts such as lines & circles for arms,
	Can tell you her birthday		legs, head, finger
	Can name two feelings (happy, sad)		
	Can tell you the difference between "real" and "make-believe"		

Each activity your child is doing is typical of his or her age.

If your child isn't doing all the activities, it doesn't mean anything is wrong. Children can vary by as much as six months in some of the things they are able to do. If you do have questions about your child's development, you can call the CONNECT Helpline, a program of the State of Pennsylvania.

CONNECT Helpline 1-800-692-7288

The child specialists on the CONNECT Helpline are there to answer questions and provide information about child development for families of children ages birth to age five.

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