

Cadette Babysitter Badge

Some Safe Toys

Infants (Newborn to 6 Months)

- Soft blocks
- Simple rattles
- Stuffed animals

Infants (7 to 12 Months)

- Large colored blocks made of rubber or soft material
- Large stacking boxes or rings
- Squeaky toys or bells
- Large balls
- Simple picture books or cloth books
- Push toys without rods
- Teethers

Toddlers (1- and 2-Year-Olds)

- Building blocks
- Large rubber toy people/animals
- Large crayons, markers, nontoxic finger paints and paper
- Simple puzzles with knobs
- Small hand puppets
- Ride-on transportation toys
- Cymbals, drums, xylophones, and other musical instruments

Preschoolers (3- and 4-Year-Olds)

- Simple board games
- Storybooks
- Balls
- Musical instruments
- Realistic dolls, stuffed animals, and sock or mitten puppets
- Tricycles and wagons
- Puzzles with large pieces

Younger School-Age Children (5-, 6- and 7-Year-Olds)

- Board games and puzzles
- Kits related to hobbies like science, arts, crafts and music
- Electronic games
- Dolls and action figures
- Bikes and scooters

Older School-Age Children (8-, 9- and 10-Year-Olds)

- Sports equipment
- Bikes
- Remote control cars
- Construction sets

Source: U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission