12 MONTHS TO 3 YEARS

12 TO 18 MONTHS

Does the child...

- Walk alone
- Pick up small objects (raisin size)
- Put objects in and dump from containers
- Put one object on top of another
- Feed himself with spoon
- Hold and drink from a cup with some spilling
- Point to several things or pictures when named
- Say two of three different words in addition to "Mama" or "Dada"
- Ask for things using words
- Know parents from strangers

18 MONTHS TO 2 YEARS

Does the child...

- Walk up and down stairs with his hand held
- Scribble
- Move her body in time to music
- Put two words together ("more juice")
- Begin to ask questions, ("Juice?". "bye-bye?")
- Feed himself a sandwich taking bites
- Take off socks and shoes
- Look at storybook pictures with an adult
- Make simple choices among toys (puzzles or trucks)
- Mimic another child's play (pouring sand, throwing ball)

2 TO 3 YEARS

Does the child...

- Walk well, run, stop, step up, and squat down
- Stack more than two objects
- Use the spoon and cup all by herself when eating
- Follow two-step directions ("Get the book and put it on the table.")
- Name five to six body parts on himself
- Take part in simple conversation
- Answer simple "what" and "what do" questions ("What do you want for lunch?")
- Point to or name objects when told their use ("What do you drink with?")
- Help with simple tasks (picking up toys)
- Use 2-3 word sentences regularly