

24 -36 Month Developmental Checklist

Child's Name _____ DOB _____
 Teacher _____ Classroom _____

Fall _____
 Winter _____
 Spring _____
 Summer _____

I. Social and Emotional Development	Not Yet	In Process	Proficient
<u>24-36 months:</u>			
13. Showing more awareness of self, choices, preferences			
14. Showing strong desire for independence, but will seek adult help			
15. Defending autonomy physically; physically expresses emotions			
16. Learning to anticipate/handle transitions			
17. Beginning understanding of feelings and actions in self and others			
18. Growing interest in interacting with others			
II. Approaches to Learning			
<u>24-36 months:</u>			
5. Learning through observation and imitation			
6. Trying everything without regard to safety			
7. Choosing influenced by props at hand with emerging hand preference			
III. Language and Literacy			
<u>24-36 months:</u>			
17. Listening with understanding with a broader range of selection and resources			
18. Expressing understanding through body language			
19. Experimenting with sounds and expressions			
20. Connecting word usage to express needs/wants			
21. Shows interest in stories and books			
V. Mathematics and VI. Science			
<u>24-36 months:</u>			
3. Exploring cause and effect			
4. Anticipating and doing primitive problem solving			
5. Developing memory			

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10. Showing interest in quantities and numbers			
11. Developing the ability to distinguish by attribute			
12. Putting math thinking/understanding into words			
13. Beginning to be aware of shapes as they are pointed out and named			
14. Beginning to develop the ability to perceive logical relationships among objects			
15. Showing fascination with the natural world			
VII. Creative Arts			
24-36 months:			
7. using senses to explore and experience using the whole body			
8. Developing interest in music and music activities			
9. Emerging appreciation of the arts			
VIII. Physical Health and Development			
24-36 months:			
Gross Motor			
23. Focused on practicing newly acquired skills			
24. Developing body coordination, unaware of limitations			
25. Learning control and balance of body			
26. Beginning target and direction experimenting			
24-36 months			
Fine Motor			
27. Interested in trying out new materials and tools			
28. Beginning figure-ground and spatial relationship understanding			
29. Coordinating two hands to put together and take apart objects to see how they work			
30. Exploring and experimenting with drawing implements and pre-writing			
24-36 months			
Health Status and Practices			
31. Practicing personal care; may need help			