



Milestones for 0-6 Months

Expressive Skills:

- Uses a different cry to express different needs
- Uses sounds or gestures to indicate wants

Receptive Skills:

- Localizes sound by turning head
- Recognizes voices
- Smiles when spoken to

Milestones for 6-12 Months

Expressive Skills:

- Babbles using long and short groups of sounds
- Uses a song-like intonation pattern
- Uses a variety of sounds when babbling
- Starts using speech sounds to communicate instead of crying
- Approximations of sounds
- Starts to build a vocabulary of 1-3 words

Receptive Skills:

- Understands no
- Responds to simple requests
- Responds to own name
- Recognizes words for frequently used objects (cup, drink)
- Understands simple commands.