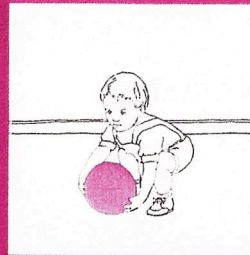
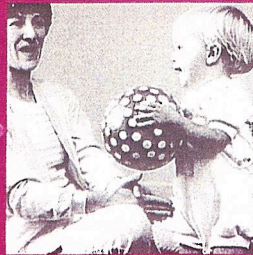
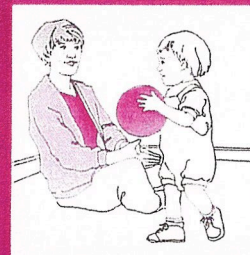


12 to 16 months

Your toddler can walk without holding on to anything. They like to play games that let them move and be active.



1. Your toddler likes to walk around and carry things.



2. You can play with them.

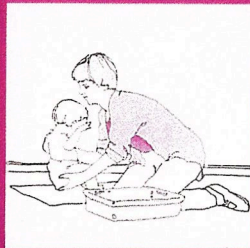
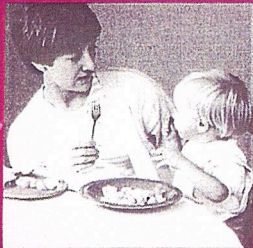


3. Ask them to bring a ball to you.

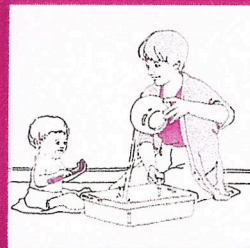


4. Give them a big hug while you play.

Your toddler learns to do things for themselves when they play. They like to get messy and try new things. You can play with them and help them learn.



1. Find a safe place for them to play.



2. Give them a pan of water to play with.

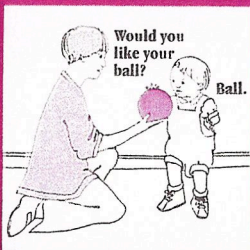


3. Show them how to play with safe plastic spoons and cups.

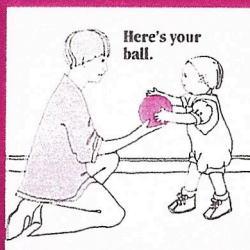


4. Help them try new things.

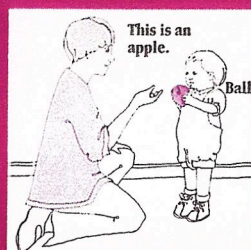
Your toddler likes to name things they see. You can help them learn new words.



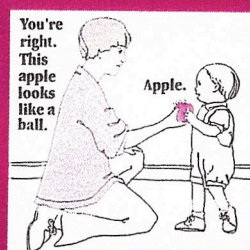
1. Let them name things they know.



2. Let them hold and feel the things.



3. They will use a word they know to name something new.



4. Help them learn new names for new things.