

## Milestones: Age 3-4 years

### Social Skills Milestones: 3-4 years

- Imitates adults, siblings, and playmates
- Learns to take turns in games
- Understands "mine, his, hers"
  
- Spontaneously shows affection for playmates
- Uses more cooperative/interactive play
- Begins to understand other's feelings based on facial expressions or behaviors
- Comforts a distressed friend or parent
- Treats doll or stuffed animal as though it were alive
- Shows awareness of parental approval/disapproval
- Asks for permission
- Uses greetings and farewells
- Indicates beginning of communication: "Hey Mary"
- States rules: "I go first"
- Makes simple jokes and teases "You can't have this"