

Motor Milestones: The 1st Year



NEWBORN	3 MONTHS
Flexed posture	Makes smoother movements
Kicks legs	Holds head steady
Raises head (stomach)	Pushes up on forearms (stomach)
Turns head to both sides	Bears weight on legs (stand)
6 MONTHS	9 MONTHS
Tripod/prop sits independently	Shows protective reactions
Rolls stomach <-> back	Creeps on hands and knees
Crawls on stomach	Pulls to stand at objects
Reaches and grasps objects	Changes positions without help
12 MONTHS	
Stands independently	
Takes a few steps independently	
Creeps up/down stairs	
Rolle/flings a ball	