

Social & Emotional Development Chart

for Blind & Visually Impaired Babies & Children

Age Group	Milestones
<i>Birth to 3 months</i>	Recognizes caregiver's voice
	Can be soothed by voice or touch
	Smiles when played with
<i>4 to 6 months</i>	Initiates request for attention
<i>7 to 9 months</i>	Differentiates between familiar & unfamiliar people
	Shows "stranger anxiety"
	Shows fear of separation
<i>10 to 12 months</i>	Uses gestures
	Cries when caregiver leaves
	Begins to enjoy social games like peek-a-boo
<i>22 to 24 months</i>	Imitates caregiver
	Plays alongside other children
	Asks others when needs help
<i>3 years</i>	Enjoys helping around the house
	Likes to be praised after doing simple tasks
	Is aware of people's feelings
<i>5 years</i>	Plays with other children
	Understands rules
	Expresses many feelings