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Top 11 Baby Toys: 2008 Amazing Toy Awards

Tested by babies and parents alike!

Tiny babies can't tell you what they like, and it may be months before you know their preferences. So how do you go about wading through the hundreds of new products out there to find the toys your little one will love? Rely on our test families!

We looked for toys that stimulate babies' developing skills without being over-stimulating, and products that had been tested for safety (whose manufacturers could prove it). The following were faves among babies *and* their moms. Enjoy!

Wooden Hedgehog rattle

Imagiplay

Finally, a super-cute rattle truly safe for gnawing!

Our mom testers said:

"My daughter stuck this in her mouth the minute I gave it to her. I'm so glad I don't have to worry about chemicals, lead paint, or any other icky contaminants for her little body."

Why it's a winner:

Kudos to ImagiPlay for its simple, beautiful organic wooden rattle. Constructed entirely of beechwood from managed forests, these are sanded smooth and have a beeswax finish that's perfect for gnawing and chomping. Our moms felt a sense of security knowing that these meet their environmental and health standards. We're so pleased to highlight a socially responsible product by a socially responsible company.

Suggested retail price: About \$12

[Read a safety statement from Imagiplay.](#)

