Developmental Milestone Chart: 7 to 12 months

Child's Age	Mastered Skills (most kids can do)	Emerging Skills (half of kids can do)	Advanced Skills (a few kids can do)
7 months	Sits without support	Lunges forward or starts crawling	Waves goodbye
	Drags objects toward them	Jabbers or combines syllables	Stands while holding onto something
		Starts to experience stranger anxiety	Bangs objects together Begins to understand object permanence
8 months	Says "mama" or "dada" to parents (is not specific)	Stands while holding onto something	Pulls self to standing, cruises Picks things up with thumb-finger pincer grasp
	Passes objects from hand to hand	Crawls	Indicates wants with gestures
		Points at objects	
		Searches for hidden objects	
9 months	Stands while holding onto something	Cruises while holding onto furniture	Plays patty-cake and peek-a-boo
	Jabbers or combines syllables	Drinks from a sippy cup	Says "mama" or "dada" to the correct parent
		Eats with fingers	
	Understands object		
	permanence	Bangs objects together	
10 months	Waves goodbye	Says "mama" or "dada" to the correct parent	Stands alone for a couple of seconds
	Picks things up with pincer grasp	Indicates wants with gestures	Puts objects into a container
	Crawls well, with belly off the ground		
11 months	Says "mama" or "dada" to the correct parent	Understands "no" and simple instructions	Says one word besides "mama" or "dada"
	Plays patty-cake and peek- a-boo	Puts objects into a container	Stoops from standing position
	Stands alone for a couple of seconds		
	Cruises		
12 months	Imitates others' activities	Takes a few steps	Walks alone
	Indicates wants with gestures	Says one word besides "mama" or "dada"	Scribbles with a crayon
			Says two words besides "mama" or "dada"