

## **Developmental Milestones**

### *Birth to 1 ½ Months*

#### **Language:**

- Turns head to sound of parents' voices
- Responds to, but does not yet localize sounds
- Different cries express different needs
- Makes simple sounds when awake, like 'eh'

#### **Intellectual:**

- Focuses on high contrast objects
- Observes surroundings briefly
- Gazes at faces
- Tracks an object or person moving slowly at close range

#### **Social-Emotional:**

- Shows when over stimulated (averts face, sleeps, becomes fussy)
- Prefers faces over all other visual stimulation
- Can be comforted by caregiver
- Makes brief eye contact

#### **Motor:**

- Lifts head briefly when lying on tummy
- Sucks effectively
- Movements largely controlled by reflexes