



Tennessee's Early Intervention System (TEIS)

TEIS is a free service including information, referral, and continuing support for children who may have disabilities, birth to three years of age, and for their families.

Tomorrow's Success Begins Today
1-800-852-7157



Does
your
child...

3 Months

- roll over ?
- look toward a noise ?
- make sounds such as cooing or babbling ?

6 Months

- try to sit alone ?
- hold a bottle ?
- play with his or her hands ?

9 Months

- say one word ?
- creep or crawl ?
- try to stand with support ?

12 Months

- pull up to stand ?
- drink from a cup ?
- finger feed ?

18 Months

- take off his or her shoes ?
- say two word phrases ?
- walk without support ?

24 Months

- run without falling ?
- repeat words others say ?
- look at pictures in a book ?

30 Months

- name one color ?
- answer simple questions ?
- help put toys away ?

All babies are special. They bring into our lives joy, pride, and immeasurable love. From the beginning, our task as parents seems simple enough. We must provide nourishment, shelter, and love.

As our children begin to grow, we look beyond their basic needs and consider their physical and mental abilities. Some children may have special needs and their families may have special needs too. Needs of families might include information about specific disabilities, numerous services that are available for the child, and support groups for the family. That's where Tennessee's Early Intervention System (TEIS) may be able to help you..

TEIS is a system where parents and professionals work together to provide every possible advantage for children with special needs. Contact TEIS by calling: 1-800-852-7157. TEIS would like to help.