Daycare Packing List

CHILD'S NAME _____

ROOM OR TEACHER _____

CENTER PHONE _____

DAILY BAG

- [ ] Labeled bag or backpack
- [ ] Diapers for the day, if you do not stock them weekly
- [ ] Lunch and snacks, if the center does not provide them
- [ ] Water bottle or cup with your child's name
- [ ] Pacifier or small comfort item, if allowed
- [ ] Hat, coat or sun hat for outdoor play
- [ ] Note for the teacher about the night or morning
- [ ] Wet bag or zip bag for soiled clothes
- [ ]
- [ ]

SPARE CLOTHES

- [ ] One or two full outfits in the current size
- [ ] Extra socks
- [ ] Extra underwear or training pants
- [ ] Spare shoes or indoor shoes, if required
- [ ] Sweater or light jacket
- [ ] Name written on every piece
- [ ]
- [ ]

NAP TIME

- [ ] Crib sheet, if the center asks for one
- [ ] Sleep sack for infants, if the center allows it
- [ ] Cot sheet or nap mat cover for toddlers
- [ ] Small blanket for toddlers, if allowed
- [ ] Lovey or soft toy for naps, if allowed
- [ ]
- [ ]

FEEDING FOR INFANTS

- [ ] Labeled bottles for the day, plus a spare
- [ ] Breast milk or formula, labeled with name and date
- [ ] Formula powder measured out, if the center asks
- [ ] Baby food jars or pouches, labeled
- [ ] Bibs and burp cloths
- [ ] Cooler bag and ice pack, if needed
- [ ]
- [ ]

FEEDING FOR TODDLERS

- [ ] Lunch in a labeled container
- [ ] Snacks, if the center does not supply them
- [ ] Cup with a lid, labeled
- [ ] Spoon and fork, if not provided
- [ ] Note on new foods or foods to avoid
- [ ]
- [ ]

FORMS AND LABELS

- [ ] Enrollment forms, signed and returned
- [ ] Immunization record or health form, if required
- [ ] Emergency contacts and authorized pickup list
- [ ] Allergy or care plan from your child's doctor
- [ ] Medicine permission form, if needed
- [ ] Name labels for bottles, cups, clothes and shoes
- [ ] Photo release and outing forms, if used
- [ ]
- [ ]

Daycare Packing List (continued)

FIRST DAY EXTRAS

- [ ] Family photo for the cubby or wall
- [ ] Diapers, wipes and cream to leave at the center
- [ ] A bag of spare clothes to leave
- [ ] Nap bedding to leave for the week
- [ ] Notes on your child's sleep and feeding routine
- [ ] ID for each pickup person on file
- [ ] Your work number and how to reach you
- [ ]
- [ ]

WEEKLY RESTOCK

- [ ] Count diapers and wipes left at the center
- [ ] Refill diaper cream and sunscreen
- [ ] Bring nap bedding home to wash
- [ ] Check spare clothes still fit the weather
- [ ] Replace any spare outfit that came home
- [ ] Read the weekly newsletter or teacher notes
- [ ] Pay tuition, if it is due this week
- [ ]
- [ ]

Check your daycare's own list first. Cross out what the center provides and add what it asks for.