SOCIAL PLAY

Hey Grown-ups!

If your child is ready to try playing with others, the activities in this playbook can be a great tool to help you teach them how to engage in social and/or imaginative play.

Keep in mind: Since you know your child best, it is up to you to pick which products and resources are most appropriate for his or her level of ability. Make sure you supervise the play as needed, and don't modify the products. Looking for more guidance for your child's play level? Please visit www.autismproject.org for more information.

This activity uses the Sweet Tears Baby™ doll.



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Questions? Call: 1-800-255-5516 NOTE: Adult should remove and discard fasteners/packaging components.

Product and colors may vary. 3x 1.5V AA ALKALINE BATTERIES REQUIRED. DEMO BATTERIES INCLUDED

Make sure to reference the instructions sheet that came with the toy for assembly, play, and battery information.

This is the Baby Alive® Sweet Tears Baby™ doll.



She comes with:



Stethoscope



Thermometer



Bandage



Tissue



Hair brush



"Juice" box

Your Sweet Tears Baby™ doll can cry tears. Before you play, have a grown up help you fill up her "juice" box with water.



First, fill a bowl from home with water.

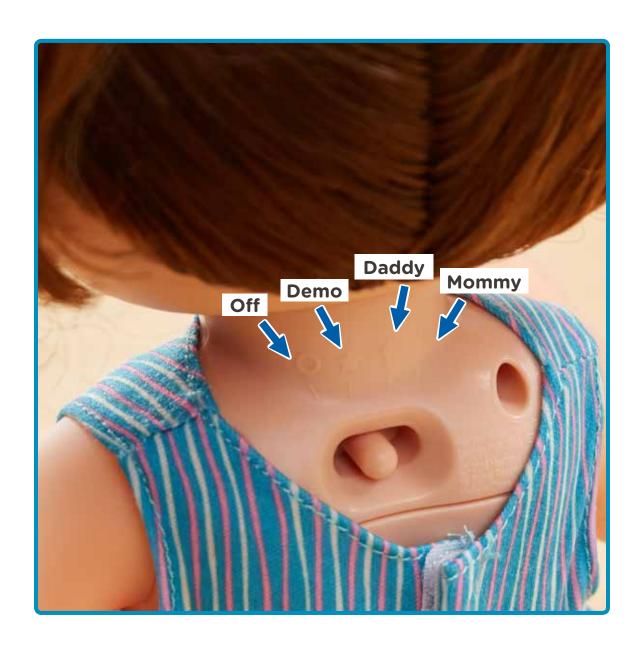
Squeeze the "juice" box before placing in the water to let any air out. Don't let go!



Then, put the box's straw in the water and let go. Water will go inside the "juice" box.

One squeeze is enough.

The Sweet Tears Baby™ doll can talk! She can call you "Mommy" or "Daddy." Move the switch to choose what she will call you.



Push here to hear her talk. Now, we're ready to play!



It's fun to play with Sweet Tears Baby™ and a friend. You can pretend to be the Mommy or Daddy and your friend can pretend to be the doctor.



I choose: Daddy



I choose: Doctor

You can imagine your baby doll just woke up from her nap and wants a drink from her "juice" box.



Say, "I'll feed you, baby!" Put the straw in her mouth and slowly squeeze. She will drink it up!



Pretend she is fussy and wants a hug. You can say, "There, there, baby. Daddy will take care of you."



What's wrong, baby? She is starting to cry! Press and hold her nose, Count "1...2...3" and stop pressing. This will help her tears come out.





Poor baby! Let's pretend to go to the doctor's office and get your baby doll a checkup.





Let's pretend to listen to her heart beat.





Wet her cloth tissue with the cold water from a bowl. Then, place it on her head. Pretend it is helping her cool down.



Fill up her "juice" box again and give her a sip to pretend to help her cool down, too.



You can say, "Do you feel better, baby?" You can respond, "I am glad you feel better baby."



Thank you,
Doctor! I will
take good care
of her at home.

It's so much fun to play with Baby Alive® Sweet Tears Baby™ and a friend together!

