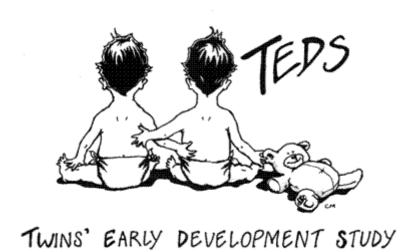
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PLEASE TURN TO THE NEXT PAGE OF THIS BOOKLET

Thank you for agreeing to fill out this booklet. Before you start, please read the following instructions.

HOW TO FILL IN THIS BOOKLE	ΞT		
PLEASE NOTE : This booklet contains both questions and games - a single item often takes a full page. We hope this booklet will take no longer than one hour to complete.			
We realise that parents of twins are very busy, so don't feel questions on the same day. However, please date the pages at t		ve to an	nswer all our
Please read the instructions at the beginning of each new section	carefully.		
There are no right or wrong answers to any of the questions we ask. Every child has a different way of developing, and this is a big part of what interests us. Please be as honest as you can when answering our questions. Everything you tell us will be kept strictly confidential.			
Please try to answer <i>all</i> the questions you are asked. It is very important that the booklets are completed as fully as possible, so that we can get a full picture of your twins.			
It would be helpful if you would write as clearly possible.			
Most of the questions ask you to put a tick in the box against the answer that most applies to your child. For example :			
	YES	NO	DON'T KNOW
Does your child recognise him/herself when looking in the mirror?			
The last section will ask you to play some games with your child, and then answer some questions. For example: While your child is watching, fold one sheet of paper in half. Say to your child "Look, I'm making a book". Give your child one piece of paper and say, "Now you try it. Make a book just like mine".			
Does your child try to fold the paper?	☐ YES		0
Does your child make just one fold?	☐ YES		0
THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME AND ASSISTANCE IN FILLING OUT THIS BOOKLET.			

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GAMES TO PLAY WITH YOUR CHILD

Please read through each set of instructions carefully **before** trying any of the following games with your child.

You will need the bricks that we have sent you, and you will also need a pencil or crayon.

You **do not** need to do these games all at once. They should be played when your child is feeling cheerful and alert. However, please date the top of each page.

Try not to have too many distractions around you. Work where your child will be able to draw and play with the toys easily. For each game, watch what your child does and answer the questions.

We'd like to know about what your child can do *on his/her own* without *any* help from anyone. This includes any brothers or sisters, so if at all possible please play with each of the twins separately. You should encourage your child to do the best s/he can, but *do not* help him/her with any of the items.

WE DO NOT EXPECT THAT YOUR CHILD WILL BE ABLE TO DO ALL OF THE ACTIVITIES.

If you feel that your child is becoming frustrated with an item, feel free to move on to another and return to it later. Try to make these games as much fun as possible.

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DRAWING

You will need: Pencil or crayon for drawing.

DRAW 1

Using a pencil or crayon, scribble on the top half of the next page. The scribble should be about this size:



After you have scribbled, give the pencil to your child, point to the bottom half of the page, and ask your child to "Make one like that, right here".

You can repeat your drawing and the instructions if necessary.

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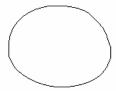
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DRAWING

You will need: Pencil or crayon for drawing.

DRAW 2

Draw a circle on the top half of the next page. The circle should be about this size:



After you have drawn the circle, give the pencil to your child, point to the bottom half of the page, and ask your child to "Make one like that, right here. Draw a circle just like that".

You can repeat your drawing and the instructions if necessary.

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	Draw a circle -

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DRAWING	For Office Use Only
You will need: Pencil or crayon for drawing.	
Draw 3	
Draw a line on the top half of the next page. The line should look something like this:	
After you have drawn the line, give the pencil to your child, point to the bottom half of the page, and ask your child to "Make one like that, right here. Draw a line just like that".	
You can repeat your drawing and the instructions if necessary.	

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	Draw a horizontal line -

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DRAWING

You will need: Pencil or crayon for drawing.

DRAW 4

Draw another line on the top half of the next page. This time the line should look something like this:

After you have drawn the line, give the pencil to your child, point to the bottom half of the page, and ask your child to "Make one like that, right here. Draw a line just like that".

You can repeat your drawing and the instructions if necessary.

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	Draw a vertical line -

MATCHING

You will need: Pencil for circling your child's answer

EXAMPLE

The next page - the 'cover sheet' - has a hole in it. Through the hole a picture of a circle can be seen.

On the page after the cover sheet there are pictures of four shapes (a circle, a triangle, a square and a star). Point to the circle through the hole in the cover sheet and say "Look, at this." Lift the cover sheet to show the shapes on the top of the page and say, "Look at all these shapes". Say "I'm going to find one just like it here". Point to the circle at the top of the page and say "Look, here is a circle. It is the same".

EXAMPLE





MATCHING

You will need: Pencil for circling your child's answer.

MATCH 1

The next page - the 'cover sheet' - has a hole in it. Through the hole a picture of a shape can be seen.

Say to your child, "Now you try it". Point to the blue circle you can see through the hole in the cover sheet and say "Look at this". Lift the cover sheet to show ALL the shapes on the top of the next page and say, "Find one just like it here". Circle whatever shape your child points to. If your child does not point to the correct item, show him/her the correct item, but do not circle it.

Mark the page with a big "X", if your child points to more than one shape *OR* if your child does not point to any of the shapes.







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<u>MATCHING</u>	
You will need: Pencil for circling your child's answer.	
MATCH 2 To MATCH 8	
For each of these items in turn, there is a cover sheet with a hole in it. Through the hole a picture of a shape can be seen.	
For each item, point to the shape you can see <i>through the hole in the cover sheet</i> and say " Look at this ". Lift the cover sheet to show <i>ALL</i> the shapes on the top of the next page and say, " Find one just like it here ". Circle whatever shape your child points to. If your child does not point to the correct item, show him/her the correct item, <i>but do not circle it</i> .	
Each time mark the page with a big "X", if your child points to more than one shape, <i>OR</i> if your child does not point to any of the shapes.	



















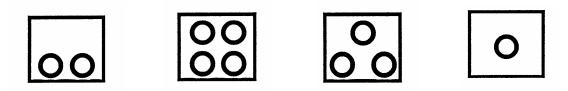




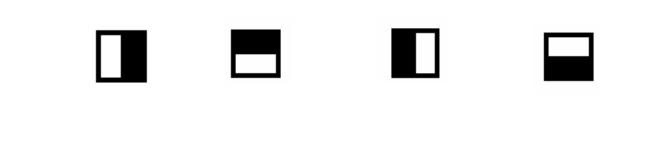




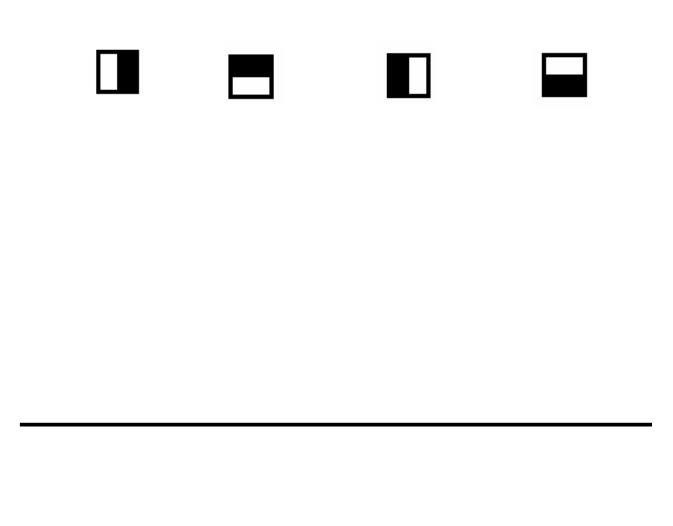












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For Office Use Only **BRICK BUILDING** You will need: Ten bricks (provided); pencil or pen for answering questions. BRICK 1 Using the bricks provided, make a train by lining up five bricks in a row, like this: Say to your child, "Here is a train, watch it go". Move the train by pushing the last brick and say, "Choo-choo-choo". Put the other five bricks in front of your child and say, "Now you make one, make a train/choo-choo just like mine". You can try this game two more times if your child does not play. When your child has finished, answer the questions below. How many bricks did your child put together? Did your child push his/her row of bricks? ☐ YES **BRICK 2** Make a tower from three bricks, by stacking them one on top of another. The tower should look like this: Leave your tower standing. Put the other seven bricks in front of your child and say, "Now you can make a tower. Make a big tower". If your child stops at a tower of three bricks, ask him/her to "Make it as big as you can". You can try this game two more times if your child does not play. When your child has finished, answer the question below:

How many bricks did your child stack in his/her tower?

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BRICK 3			
Use three bricks to make a bridge like this:			
Say to your child "Look I've made a bridge". Lea give your child three bricks. Say, "Now you make a		•	
You can try this game two more times if your child child has finished, answer the questions below.	does not play. Wh	en your	
Are there two bricks in the bottom row?	☐ YES	□NO	
Is one brick on top?	☐ YES	□ NO	
Does the brick on top touch both bottom bricks?	□ YES	□ NO	
BRICK 4			
Use four bricks to make a wall like this:			
Say to your child "Look I've made a wall". Leave your child four bricks. Say, "Now you make a wall,		and give	
You can try this game two more times if your child child has finished, answer the questions below.	does not play. Wh	en your	
Are there two rows of bricks?	☐ YES	□ NO	
Are there two bricks on the bottom row?	☐ YES	□ NO	
Are there two bricks on the top row?	☐ YES	□ NO	

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PAPER FOLDING		For Office Use Only
You will need: Two sheets of paper, pencil or pen	for answering questions	s.
Paper 1		
While your child is watching, fold one sheet of pa "Look, I'm making a book". Give your child one you try it. Make a book just like mine".		
Does your child try to fold the paper?	☐ YES	
Does your child make just one fold?	☐ YES	□NO
FOLLOW THE LEADER You will need: Pencil or pen for answering questio COPY 1	ns.	
Say to your child "Watch me, do what I do". Whe and close your mouth several times. Say to your o	•	
Does your child copy the actions correctly?	☐ YES	□ NO □
COPY 2		
Say to your child "Now do this". Pull on your earle	obe.	
Does your child copy the actions correctly?	☐ YES	□ NO L
COPY 3		
Say to your child " Now do this ". Blink your eyes.		
Does your child copy the actions correctly?	☐ YES	□ NO L
Copy 4 Say to your child "Now do this". Pat your cheek.		
Does your child copy the actions correctly?	☐ YES	□ NO □

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FOLLOW THE LEADER	For Office Use Only
You will need: Pencil for answering questions	
COPY 5	
Say to your child "Now do this". Pull on your earlobe, then pat your cheek.	
Does your child copy both actions? ☐ YES ☐ NO	
If YES, does your child copy the actions in the correct order? That is, does your child pull on his/her earlobe BEFORE patting his/her cheek? ☐ YES ☐ NO	
Copy 6	
Say to your child "It is getting harder, now try to do this". Open and close your mouth, then blink your eyes, then pull on your earlobe.	
Does your child copy all three actions? ☐ YES ☐ NO	
If YES does your child copy the actions in the correct order? That is mouth, eyes, earlobe? ☐ YES ☐ NO	
COPY 7	
Say to your child "It is getting even harder, now try to do this". Pat your cheek, then blink your eyes, then pull on your earlobe and then open and close your mouth.	
Does your child copy all four actions? ☐ YES ☐ NO	
If YES does your child copy the actions in the correct order? That is cheek, eyes, earlobe, mouth? ☐ YES ☐ NO	

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YOUR CHILD AT HOME

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Firs	t of all, please tell us:	Often	Sometimes	Occasionally	Never	
1)	Does your child ever spend time with other children of a similar age?					
the state child so please t	re are some descriptions of children. Please tick the ement is <i>true</i> of your child, please tick the box under <i>metimes</i> , then tick the box under sometimes true . These descriptions are e of them may not seem to apply to your child, but ple	r certainly If the saimed at a	y true . If the entence is <i>i</i> children age	e statement d not true of you d five years ol of them as be	escribes ur child, d or youn est you ca	your then iger,
			true	,	true	
2)	Tries to be fair in games					_
3)	Restless; runs about or jumps up and down keep still	n, doesn	't 📗			
4)	Considerate of other people's feelings					
5)	Squirmy, fidgety					
6)	Destroys own or other's belongings					
7)	Spontaneously affectionate to family memb	ers				
8)	Fights with other children					_
9)	Not much liked by other children					_
10)	Volunteers to help around the house or gar	den				
11)	Is worried; worries about many things					_
12)	Tends to do things on own; rather solitary					_
13)	Irritable, quick to fly off the handle					_
14)	Will try to help someone who has been hurt					
15)	Appears miserable, unhappy, tearful or dist	ressed				-
16)	Has twitches, mannerisms, or tics of the fac	e and b	ody 🗆			_
17)	Bites nails or fingers					
18)	Is disobedient					
19)	Kind to younger children					
20)	Has poor concentration, or short attention s	span				_

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		Certainly true	Sometimes true	Not true
21)	Tends to be afraid of new things or new situations			
22)	Helps other children who are feeling ill			
23)	Fussy, or over particular			
24)	Tells lies			
25)	Has wet or soiled self this year			
26)	Comforts a child who is upset			
27)	Has stutter or stammer			
28)	Has other speech difficulty			
29)	Plays imaginatively, enjoys 'pretend' games			
30)	Bullies other children			
31) [Inattentive			
32)	Gets on well with other children			
33)	Doesn't share toys			
34)	Cries easily			
35)	Forceful, determined child			
36)	Blames others for things			
37)	Shares out treats with friends			
38)	Gives up easily			
39)	Inconsiderate of others			
40)	Independent, confident child			
41)	Kicks, bites other children			
42)	Kind to animals			
43)	Stares into space, (stares blankly)			
44)	Tries to stop quarrels and fights			

WHAT YOUR CHILD CAN SAY

Children understand many more words than they say. We are particularly interested in the words your child **SAYS**. Please tick the words you have heard your child use. If your child uses a different pronunciation of a word - for example "'tend" for pretend or "duice" for juice - mark it anyway. This is only a sample of words; your child may know many other words not on this list.

Words Children S	AY	(PLEASE TICK A	LL T	HOSE THAT APPLY)				
								For Of	
□ baa baa		hat		sky		allgone			
meow meo		necklace		Z00		cold			
□ ouch/ow		shoe		friend		fast			
☐ uh-oh/oh dear		sock		mummy/mum		happy			
□ woof woof		chin		person		hot			
□ bear		ear		bye/byebye		last			
□ bird		hand		hi/hello		tiny			
□ cat		leg		no		wet			
☐ dog		pillow		shopping		after			
☐ duck		comb		thank you		day			
☐ horse		lamp/torch		carry		tonight			
aeroplane		plate		chase		our			
■ boat		rubbish		pour		them			
☐ car		tray		finish		this			
■ ball		towel		fit		us			
■ book		bed		hug/cuddle		where			
game		bedroom		listen		beside			
sandwich		settee/sofa		like		down			
☐ fish		oven/cooker		pretend		under			
sauce		stairs		rip/tear		all			
cream cracker		flag		shake		much			
juice		rain		taste		could			
		star		gentle		need to			
☐ milk		swing		think		would			
peas		school		wish		if			

HOW CHILDREN USE WORDS (PLEASE TICK THOSE THAT APPLY)

							Often	Sometimes	Not Yet	For Office Use Only
1)	are not	our child ever talk present? For exan ek might later say								
2)	happer aeropla	our child ever talk n in the future, for e ane before you leav when you are goin								
3)	as aski		j toy,	refer	hat are not present, s ring to a pet out of v nt?					
4)	not in t		nple,	woul	sk for something tha d s/he go to the bedr /here's the bear?"					
5)	an abs		n the	objec	nt to an object and na ot belongs? For exan e and say Mummy.					
6)		ur child begun to c er biscuit" or "dogg			ords yet, such as					_
		rered "Not Yet" to Q ase continue.	uestio	n 6 a	bove, please go to pa	ige 39	. If yo	u answere	d "Some	etimes" or
talk	s at the		he wo	ould n	and B - tick the one the ot say that exact sended, tick B .					
1)	happei A□	ng about something ning right now) I make tower I making tower	2)	•	ing about something Ilready happened) Daddy pick me up Daddy picked me up	3)	A□ B□	That my tr That's my		
4)		Baby crying Baby is crying	5)	A□ B□	There a doggie There's a doggie	6)	A□ B□	Coffee ho		
7)	, ·-	I no do it I can't do it	8)	A□ B□	I like read stories I like to read stories	9)	A□ B□	Biscuit Mu Biscuit for	-	
10)	в□ □	Don't read book Don't want you read that book	11)	A□ B□	Baby want eat Baby want to eat	12)	A□ B□	Look at m Look at m dancing		

YOUR CHILD AT PLAY

As a parent, you have a good idea of what your child can and can't do. Listed below are a number of activities. Please indicate whether or not your child can do the activity. That is, if you have seen your child do the activity (or something similar), then tick the box under "YES". If you know that your child would not be able to do it, then tick the box under "NO". If you are not sure whether or not your child can do an activity, please feel free to try it out with your child. If you are still uncertain about whether or not your child can do it, then tick the box under "DON'T KNOW".

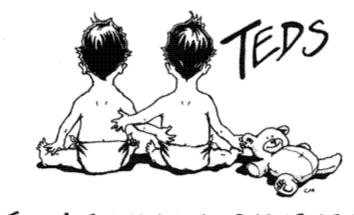
Please keep in mind that these questions are for children ranging in age from 2 to 4 years. Some will be easy for your child, others may be difficult. Most children of your child's age will not be able to do all of the activities.

		(PLEASE TICK ONE BOX FOR EACH QUESTION)			For Office Use Only
		YES	NO	DON'T KNOW	
1)	Can your child put a simple piece, such as a square or an animal, into the correct place in a puzzle board?				
2)	Some toys have several holes or openings with different shapes, such as a circle, triangle, and star. Could your child put the shapes into the right openings?				
3)	Can your child stack three small blocks or toys on top of each other by him/herself?				
4)	Can your child stack seven small blocks or toys on top of each other by him/herself?				
5)	Can your child put together, by him/herself, a jigsaw puzzle or something similar where the pieces fit together?				
6)	If so, can s/he do this for a puzzle with ten or more pieces?				
7)	Can your child mark on a piece of paper using the tip of a crayon, pencil, or chalk?				
8)	Can your child draw a more or less straight line on paper?				
9)	Does your child turn, or attempt to turn, pages of a book one at a time?				
10)	Does your child ever pretend that one object, such as a block, is another object, such as a car or a telephone?				
11)	Does your child ever pretend to do things? For example, riding a horse or making a cup of tea?				

		(PLEASE TICK ONE BOX FOR EACH QUESTION)			For Office Use Only
		YES	NO	DON'T KNOW	
12)	Does your child ever pretend that two dolls are playing together, or are talking to each other, or one is feeding the other?				
13)	Does your child ever play pretend games with another child, pretending to be someone else, such as a parent, firefighter, or nurse?				
14)	Does your child ever play any game with another child that involves taking turns?				
15)	Does your child ever copy some action shortly (within a few minutes) after s/he has seen it?				
16)	Can your child fetch an object, such as a toy, from another room by him/herself when you ask?				
17)	Does your child know where some things belong, for example, that his/her toys belong in a box?				
18)	Does your child ever put aside a biscuit (or other snack) for later, on his/her own?				
19)	Have you ever seen your child gather three or more toys before beginning to play with them?				
20)	Have you ever seen your child put things (blocks, other toys) into groups or piles that go together on his/her own?				
21)	If your child wants something out of reach, does s/he go and find a chair or box to stand on?				
22)	When your child uses or plays with a telephone, does s/he speak into the mouthpiece, not the earpiece?				
23)	When your child drinks from a cup, is s/he careful about setting it down, trying not to spill it?				
24)	Does your child use a turning motion with his/her hand while trying to turn doorknobs, twist tops, or screw lids on or off jars?				
25)	Does your child recognise him/herself when looking in the mirror?				
26)	Does your child ever use his/her index finger to point to show an interest in something?				

COMPLETE DATA ARE ESSENTIAL. PLEASE MAKE SURE THAT YOU HAVE FILLED

IN ALL OF THE SECTIONS. To help you here is a list of all the games. Please tick the appropriate boxes and let us know whether the games were fully completed and whether your child enjoyed playing. **DRAWING** Were draw items 1-4 **fully** completed? \square YES \square NO Did your child enjoy this item? \square YES \square YES, but not all the time \square NO If NO, why not? MATCHING Were matching questions 1-8 **fully** completed? \square YES \square NO Did your child enjoy this item? \square YES ☐ YES, but not all the time \square NO If NO, why not? **BRICK BUILDING** Were the building questions 1-4 **fully** completed? \square YES \square NO Did your child enjoy this item? \square YES ☐ YES, but not all the time \square NO If NO, why not? **PAPER FOLDING** Was the paper folding question **fully** completed? \square YES \square NO Did your child enjoy this item? \square YES \square YES, but not all the time If NO, why not? FOLLOW THE **LEADER** Were the follow the leader questions 1-7 **fully** completed? \square YES \square NO Did your child enjoy this item? \square YES \square YES, but not all the time If NO, why not?



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When all three booklets are filled in, please post in the FREEPOST envelope.

The bricks are a present for your children so you do not need to return them.

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