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I understand NO!
But may still argue about it.
I may not take any notice of NO!
I may try to do things on my own.
Keep an eye on me, I need watching everywhere.

I play with a new baby
But I don’t know how.
I must not carry baby or give baby my toys.

You must teach me
Not to go with people I don’t know.
Make time to talk so I can tell you what is worrying me - otherwise an adult or another child may hurt me and you wouldn’t know.
Take care when you leave me with family or at friends’ houses.
Help them to help me to keep safe.

I will want to help
Cut the grass
Carry the shopping
Make tea, help you to cook
Help the grown-ups tackle DIY
I may try on my own.
I play with other children

They may be older.
I will copy their games and may find myself in danger.

New places bring new dangers

In playgrounds, at the seaside, near ponds and rivers.
Make sure when I am outside, I can play safely - I will explore sheds and garages.
Take care when I’m away from home.

I cannot cross any road on my own

Always hold my hand when we are near a road.
Most injuries and deaths to children up to 11 years old are when they are pedestrians.
I should never be out alone near the road.

I may need a different car seat

Ring for advice - see back page.
Check that my car seat straps fit closely to my body.

I may fiddle with things in the car

Don’t leave me alone.