

HOLIDAY GIFT GUIDE

top picks for 2025

THESE HAVE BEEN OUR
TOP MOST REQUESTED
GAMES THIS YEAR!



MARBLE RUN

- Problem solving
- Spatial reasoning & visual scanning
- Fine motor skills
- Attention & focus
- Working as a team
- Increasing initiation of speech

Amazon: Marble Run with Motorized Elevator



HASTY BAKER



*Most requested game this year!

- Great way to work on higher level cognitive skills
- Problem solving
- Organization and planning
- Working memory
- Attention



-Expressive/Receptive language

Amazon: Hasty Baker

SNACK-O-SAURUS REX



- Super fun for ALL ages!
- This was a fan favorite this year
- Emotional regulation
- Problem solving
- Highly motivating for kids
- Great for pairing with any articulation targets as well

Amazon: Snack-O-Saurus Rex

AVOCADO SMASH

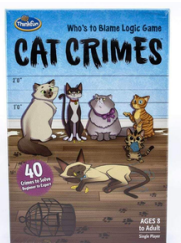


- This game has been a HIT this year!
- This game is great for all ages. There are several different ways to play this game, so this game can easily grow with your child.
- Great for emotional regulation, attention, focus, impulse control, & following directions.

Amazon: Avocado Smash

winner winner!

CAT CRIMES



- Inferencing
 - Deductive reasoning
 - Expanding language
 - Directional terms
- *This game is a winner! Everyone will have fun with this one.

Target: Cat Crimes Card Game

so much fun!



BURGER MANIA

- Problem solving
- Impulse control
- Flexible thinking
- Multitasking

This guaranteed to be a hit at your next game night. So much fun for the whole family!

Amazon: Burger Mania

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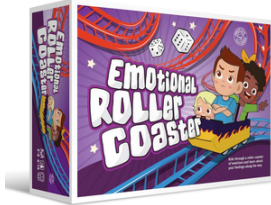
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emotional regulation games

EMOTIONAL ROLLER COASTER



great for

- Our all time favorite emotional regulation game!
- Our kiddos LOVE this one as well
- Great for identifying emotions as well as developing coping strategies

[Amazon: Emotional Roller Coaster- link](#)

TRAIN OF THOUGHT



great for

- Building self-confidence
- Emotional awareness
- Emotional regulation strategies
- =Conversational skills

[Amazon: Train of Thought](#)

CONFLICT & RESOLUTION GAMESET



great for

- Great for problem solving and emotional regulation

[Amazon: Conflict & Resolution Game set](#)

JUMANJI



great for

- Great collaborative game
- Problem solving
- Tolerating challenges
- Working as a team

[Amazon: Jumanji](#)



BIG FEELINGS PINEAPPLE

- Expanding knowledge of different emotions
- Able to create different emotions
- Also a fun emotion guessing game

[Amazon: Big Feelings Pineapple](#)

THE GIRL WHO NEVER MAKES MISTAKES

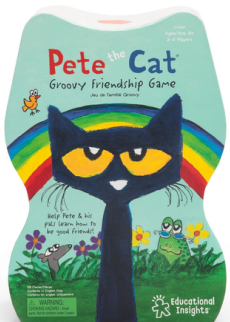


great for

- Learning that it's ok to make mistakes
- Learning how our bodies express emotions

[Amazon: The Girl Who Never Makes Mistakes](#)

SOCIAL SKILLS GAME



great for

- Great for social skills as well as emotional regulation

[Amazon: Social Skills Game](#)

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language games

great for

ZINGO



- Early word structures
- Articulation
- Vocabulary
- Following directions
- Expanding language

[Amazon: Zingo](#)

CATS & BOXES

great for



- expressive & receptive language
- descriptive terms
- directional terms
- deductive reasoning

[AMAZON:CATS & BOXES](#)

GUESS IN 10

great for

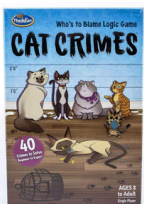


- Deductive reasoning
- Inferencing
- WH questions
- Expanding language
- Several different themes to pick from

[Amazon: Guess in 10](#)

CAT CRIMES

great for



- Inferencing
- Deductive reasoning
- Expanding language
- Directional terms

[Target: Cat Crimes Card Game](#)

PETE THE CAT TERRIFIC TACO GAME

great for



- Early reading skills
- Working memory
- Following directions
- Expanding language

[Amazon: Pete the Cat Terrific Taco Game](#)

FRANKIE'S FOOD TRUCK

great for



- Basic concepts- shapes & numbers
- Fine motor control
- Following directions
- Requesting and labeling

[Amazon.com: Frankie's Food Truck](#)

RAPID RUMBLE

great for



- Descriptive language
- Categories
- Similarities/differences
- Vocabulary

[Amazon: Rapid Rumble](#)

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good old fashioned play

ICE CREAM SHOP

great for



- Imaginative play
- Following directions
- Requesting and labeling

[Amazon.com: Melissa & Doug Ice Cream Shop](#)

SMOOTHIE MAKER

great for



- Pretend play
- Fine motor control
- Following directions
- Requesting and labeling

[AMAZON.COM: MELISSA & DOUG SMOOTHIE MAKER](#)

POUND A BALL

all time favorite



- All time favorite toy! Kids of ALL ages love this toy
- Learning colors
 - Following directions
 - Impulse control
 - Turn taking
 - Expanding language

[Amazon.com: Pound a Ball](#)

WOODEN TRAIN SET

great for



- Following directions
- Requesting and labeling
- Early sound structures
- Expanding language

[Amazon: Tiny Land Wooden Train Set](#)

HIDDEN ANIMAL PUZZLE

great for



- Incorporate into obstacle courses
- Following directions
- Requesting and labeling
- Animal sounds
- Hidden objects

[Amazon: Wooden Hidden Animal Puzzle](#)

PAW PATROL ADVENTURE PACK

great for



- Pretend play
- Following directions
- Incorporate into obstacle courses

[Amazon: Melissa & Doug Paw Patrol Adventure Pack](#)

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books

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SHOULD I SHARE MY ICE CREAM

by MO WILLEMS



- Inferencing
- Emotional regulation
- Cause and effect
- Social skills

Amazon: Should I Share My Ice Cream

THE SNOW THIEF

by ALICE HEMMING & NICOLA SLATER

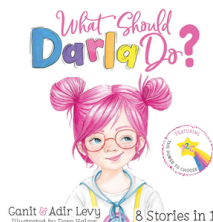


- Inferencing
- Deductive reasoning
- Self-awareness
- Expanding expressive & receptive language

Amazon: The Snow Thief

WHAT SHOULD DARLA DO?

by GANIT & ADIR LEVY

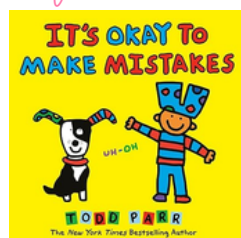


- Inferencing
- WH questions
- Cause and effect
- Emotional regulation

Amazon: What Should Darla Do?

CONSTRUCTION SITE MERRY & BRIGHT

by TODD PARR

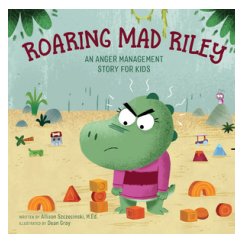


- Making mistakes is ok
- Everyone makes mistakes sometimes
- Self-confidence

Amazon: It's Okay to Make Mistakes

ROARING MAD RILEY

by ALLISON SZCZECINSKI

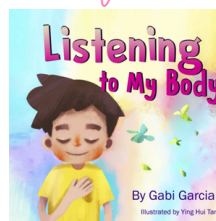


- Emotional regulation
- How to calm our body
- Communicating when upset
- What to do when upset

Amazon.com: Roaring Mad Riley.

LISTENING TO MY BODY

by GABI GARCIA



- Learning how our bodies express emotions
- Strategies to help our bodies calm down when we feel upset

Amazon: Listening to My Body Book-link

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strategy games

great for



BUILD OR BOOM

Amazon: Build or Boom

- Problem solving
- Executive functioning
- Deductive reasoning
- Inferencing
- Visual perception



DINOSAUR MYSTIC ISLAND

Amazon: Dinosaur Mystic Island



CONE ZILLA

Amazon.com: Cone Zilla

GOOSEBUMPS



- Fun game for older kids
- Great for problem solving and teamwork
- NOT great for younger kids: concepts are too complex and themes of the game are for older kids. Based on the book series.
- Work together to rid the neighborhood of all the monsters in this thrilling game

Amazon: Goosebumps



CAULDRON QUEST

Amazon.com: Cauldron Quest



KANOODLE

Amazon: Kanoodle
Head to Head



CBTRAIL

Amazon.com: CBTrail



TICKET TO RIDE FIRST JOURNEY

Amazon.com: Ticket to Ride First Journey Board Game |

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games

FINE MOTOR GAMES

great for

- Fine motor skills
- Eye-hand coordination
- Visual processing
- Turn taking
- Following directions
- Impulse control

RUBY'S GEM QUEST

[Amazon.com: Ruby's Gem Quest](https://www.amazon.com/Ruby's-Gem-Quest/dp/B000060000)



LITTLE MERMAID CHARMING SEA ADVENTURE



[Amazon: Little Mermaid Charming Sea Adventure](https://www.amazon.com/Little-Mermaid-Charming-Sea-Adventure/dp/B000060000)



MAGNETIC COLOR AND NUMBER MAZE

This would also be great for traveling!

[Amazon: Magnetic Color and Number Maze](https://www.amazon.com/Magnetic-Color-and-Number-Maze/dp/B000060000)



AVALANCHE FRUIT STAND



[Amazon.com: Learning Resources Avalanche Fruit Stand](https://www.amazon.com/Learning-Resources-Avalanche-Fruit-Stand/dp/B000060000)

more fun games

SHELBY'S SNACK SHACK GAME

great for

- Following directions
- Fine motor skills
- Challenge tolerance
- Expanding language
- Vocabulary



[Amazon: Shelby's Snack Shack Game](https://www.amazon.com/Shelby's-Snack-Shack-Game/dp/B000060000)

HERSHEY'S S'MORES

great for

- Problem solving
- Impulse control
- Following directions
- Receptive language



[The Original The Floor Is Laval Game by Endless Games - Interactive Game For Kids & Adults](https://www.amazon.com/The-Original-The-Floor-Is-Laval-Game-by-Endless-Games-Interactive-Game-For-Kids-Adults/dp/B000060000)

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active games

ROLLER COASTER

great for

- Self-regulation
- Balance
- Coordination
- Increasing language output



Amazon.com: Roller Coaster- Ride on Push Car

RED LIGHT GREEN LIGHT

great for

- Self-regulation
- Impulse control
- Attention & focus
- Listening



Amazon.com : Red Light Green Light

STOMP ROCKET

great for

- Coordination
- Turn-taking
- Impulse control
- Increasing expressive language
- Initiation of speech & motor activities



Amazon.com: Stomp Rocket

TUNNEL

great for

- Bilateral coordination
- Sensory regulation
- Obstacle courses
- Initiation of motor activities & speech



Amazon.com: Kids Play Tunnel

BALL PIT TENTS & TUNNEL

great for

- Bilateral coordination
- Sensory regulation
- Initiation of motor activities & speech



fun together in an obstacle course

OUTDOOR ACTIVITY SET

- Bilateral coordination
- Eye-hand coordination
- Turn-taking
- Impulse control
- Sensory integration



Amazon: Outdoor Activity Set

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stocking stuffers



DINOSAUR CREATOR

[Amazon.com: Dinosaur Creator](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07G9K9K9K)

ROBOT SUCTION CUP TOYS



[Amazon.com:
Robot Suction
Cup Toys](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07G9K9K9K)

HELPING HANDS FINE MOTOR TOOL SET



[Amazon.com: Learning Resources
Helping Hands Fine Motor Tool Set
Toy](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07G9K9K9K)

SANTA COOKIE ELF CANDY SNOWMAN CARD GAME



[Amazon: Santa Cookie Elf
Candy Snowman](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07G9K9K9K)



LEGO SET

[Lego Mighty Dinosaur](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07G9K9K9K)

SNAP & LEARN ALPHABET ALLIGATORS



[Amazon.com: Snap & Learn
Alphabet Alligators](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07G9K9K9K)

MOOSE MATCH MAYHEM



[Amazon: Moose Match Mayhem](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07G9K9K9K)

CHARADES FOR KIDS



[Pressman Toys - Charades
for Kids - Walmart.com](https://www.amazon.com/dp/B07G9K9K9K)

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