



Best Double Strollers 2018 - Weight, Safety, Comfort, Convenience

There are a lot of important things to consider when you pick a double stroller. Will it be side-by-side? Tandem? Will it be a pain to fold up? How heavy will it be? Will it fit through doorways or in the trunk of your car? Will it fit two kids of different ages and sizes, or only twins? Buying a double stroller can be daunting, so before you drop \$300-750 on a stroller, read through this article to get some helpful buying tips!

Our hands-on reviews considered over a dozen double strollers, testing them out for flexible infant and toddler configurations, comfort for parent and child, size and weight, folding capabilities, and compatibility with popular infant car seats. If you want to read more details about how we considered each of these factors, scroll down to the bottom of this article. Otherwise, here are our reviews of the Top 8 Best Double and Tandem Strollers of 2018!

6. J is for Jeep - Scout Double Stroller.

This is an excellent bang-for-the-buck lightweight double stroller, with an inexpensive price tag, good reliability, and several great features. This side-by-side stroller supports up to 70 pounds total weight, with 35 pounds of maximum weight in each seat. It uses a lightweight (only about 18 pounds) aluminum frame that folds into a rectangle that's about 13" by 42", and 11" thick, which is larger than most other options on this list. That's because it folds up like an umbrella stroller, long and thin. We fit it easily into Honda Civic and Toyota Corolla trunks. The downside of it folding like an umbrella stroller is that the handlebars aren't connected to one another in one long bar, unlike the others on this list. That made it a bit less comfortable to maneuver, especially when doing it one-handed. In our testing, we thought the large canopies did a pretty good job protecting from the sun and light rain, especially for this low price range. They are nowhere near as large as the Joovy or Baby Jogger canopies, but they do a nice job. We also thought the seat recline option was nice to have, though the recline range was restricted and the mechanism was finicky to use. For safety, there is a 5-point harness and locking back wheels. We also loved that there are several storage pockets (4 of them!), and it came with a cup holder for grown-ups; note that the cup holder is detachable for squeezing through tighter spaces (like smaller doorways). We thought the overall ride quality was relatively poor, given the relatively small and hard plastic wheels. Overall, we thought the build quality was about a 6.5 out of 10, which is to be expected in this price range for a double stroller. Cons? Well, its light weight makes it feel a bit less sturdy, though we think it is worth the easy folding and lifting into the trunk. The canopies could come down a bit farther, and the recline feature was a pain to use. Other than that, if you're looking for a lightweight, inexpensive double stroller, this is definitely an excellent option!

