

Best Playards and Pack 'n Plays

BEST PACK 'N PLAYS

- **Best Convertible Playard** : Graco Pack 'n Play Simple Solutions Playard
- **Best Playard for Travel** : BabyBjorn Travel Crib Light
- **Best Playard for Outdoors** : Summer Infant Pop N' Play Ultimate Portable Playard
- **Best Budget-Friendly Playard** : Delta Children Safari Fun Playard
- **Most Stylish Playard** : 4Moms Breeze Plus Playard
- **Best Luxury Playard** : Nuna Sena

Playmats and bouncers are undeniably life savers in those first few weeks, but what do you do once your baby starts to roll or wants to explore more? Enter the playard.

Also sometimes called pack 'n plays or play yards, these mesh, elevated enclosed areas give your baby a safe place to play.

You probably hung out in a playard when you were a babe — though they were known as playpens then. The name may have changed, but playards are still super handy for keeping babies safe as they play in their just-my-size space (while you get a few things done!).

Best Budget-Friendly Playard

Delta Children Safari Fun Playard



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Why We Love It

The cute pattern and cheery animals practically scream, "Let's play!" — and that's exactly what your babe will want to do in this playard. At 28 pounds and 3 feet by 3 feet, it gives your cutie a sturdy place to have fun, explore or sleep.

While it does fold down and comes with a mattress and carrying case, it's heavier than many other playards on this list and is therefore not the best choice if you plan on traveling a lot. On the other hand, it can be used indoors or out, adding to its versatility. It's recommended for children weighing less than 30 pounds and below 35 inches tall, but regardless, you should stop using it as soon as they can climb out.

Height/weight limit: Recommended for children unable to climb out (up to 30 pounds and 35 inches tall)

Weight: 28.6 pounds

Dimensions: 36 x 36 inches