

The Right Seat

Fits the child - fits the vehicle - is used correctly on every trip

Rear Facing Infant and Convertible Seats

- Never in front of an airbag
- Rear face until 2 years of age or highest weight or height limit of car safety seat
- Harness snug and at or below shoulders
- Chest clip at armpit level
- Attach to car with seat belt or lower anchors
- Don't buy or add anything extra to the seat



Infant seat
4-5 to 20-22 lbs



Rear facing convertible seat
5 to 30-40 lbs

Forward Facing Seats with Harnesses

- 2 years or older, or those younger who have outgrown their rear facing seat
- Harness snug and at or above shoulders
- Chest clip at armpit level
- Attach to car with seat belt or lower anchors and top tether strap
- Use 5-point harness to upper weight or height limit of seat



Booster Seats

- Until seat belt fits; usually around 4' 9" and 8-12 years
- Always use lap/shoulder seat belt
- Never put shoulder belt behind back or under arm
- Use highback booster for vehicle seat without a headrest



Adult Size Seat Belts

- Back straight against vehicle seat and knees bent at seat edge
- Shoulder belt across chest, not neck or throat
- Lap belt low and snug across upper thighs, not stomach
- Children younger than 13 should always ride in back seat



Always read car seat and vehicle manuals for specific directions.
For questions call 1-800-KID-N-CAR