

Toy Swap for ages 1-5

Sunday, Feb. 2, 2025 9 - 11 a.m.

**At the South Minneapolis branch of Minnesota Toy Library
8 West 60th Street, Minneapolis – in Richfield Lutheran Church
Door 11, west of Nicollet along West 60th St. with parking across the street**



**Bring no-longer-needed toys. Take new-to-you items brought by others.
You can bring items without taking or take without bringing.**

Sharing and swapping toys lessens the demand for new plastic.
You may be going plastic-free, but don't want to trash toys that are still useful.
Bring them here!

PLEASE DO bring:

- Toys and games gently used, still working, all pieces included.
- Toys appropriate for ages 1-5.
- Wood, silicone, metal, plastic, and other toys.
- Large-motor-development items like trikes are welcome.

*Please properly clean toys
before the swap. Learn how:*

[https://www.mplstoylibrary.org/
toy-cleaning-protocol/](https://www.mplstoylibrary.org/toy-cleaning-protocol/)

DO NOT bring:

- Vintage toys by brands that have been found toxic, or anything that has been recalled.
<https://www.safekids.org/product-recalls>
- Pacifiers, teething or bath toys made of soft plastic.
- Broken toys.
- Anything too big for one person to carry. (The space is down one flight of stairs)



Leftover toys will be donated to the Minnesota Toy Library and other nonprofits serving children.

Hennepin County, Ramsey County and Washington County
are collaborating on the
Plastic-Free Challenge aimed at reducing single-use plastics.

Swap partners include: Additional partners welcome—contact Margo ASAP



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