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Babble Best Cloth Diapers 2012: Top Picks for All-in-ones, Prefolds, and More

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So you're considering cloth diapers? Good for you! We promise they're not as overwhelming as they seem, and once you find what works best for you and your family, you'll wonder why you ever used disposables in the first place! If you plan on turning to cloth diapers full time, you'll need a minimum of 12-18 diapers — plus a few overnight options. And although it's a bigger initial investment than disposables, using cloth diapers will eventually pay off during your diapering years. Besides, any disposable diaper saved from a landfill is a win in our books.

And if you're already a seasoned cloth diaper expert, we've updated [last year's list](#) and found some great new options featuring a broad selection of prints, fabrics, materials, and styles that are sure to please your baby's bum. Besides, we

know that no one diaper is perfect for everyone, so if you're still on the hunt for the best cloth diaper for *your* baby — look no further. From the best snap-in cloth diaper to the most stylish, we've rounded up our favorites. Check them out, after the jump!

NOTE: All diapers were tested on a chubby 11-month-old girl and a skinny 2-month-old boy, and some on a skinny 2-year-old toddler. Babble only tested diapers from companies that were able to send samples for testing.

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MOST STYLISH | CHARLIE BANANA FASHION COLLECTION | \$18.88+

Why we love it: These diapers are soft, bright, and well-designed with a good fit for both skinny and chubby babies alike.

If you hate the look of disposable diapers, Charlie Banana just might be your stylish baby's saving grace. Their fashion collection of pocket diapers designed by artist Matthew Langille brings bright colors and funky sketchy art to your little one's rear. Available in robots for boys and girls, graphic black and white bears, doodly hearts, and little lovey creatures — these aren't your ordinary hokey diaper patterns.

Fit: Style isn't all these diapers have to offer. We love that they're available in both a sized option (which fit our chubby baby better) and one size variety with adjustable leg elastic, and

that you can choose to use disposable inserts.

Get it from Charlie Banana, \$21.88 for fashion collection one size diaper; \$18.88 for sized solid color diapers

Did we miss a cloth diaper you love? Please nominate it in the comments!

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I thought this nappy was from TotsBots? Or at least that is the brand over here in Europe. Is it branded as Bummis in the US?

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My very favorite is Fancy Pants Cloth Diapers. They are a pocket diaper from a small company. Super cute designs, wonderful fit, great customer service, and half to a third of the price of some name brands.

KRISSY COMMENTED ON MAY 02 12 AT 12:09 PM

Softbums Omni!

KAYLIE COMMENTED ON MAY 02 12 AT 1:26 PM

@Michelle: It's technically Bummis TotsBots bc Bummis is the US distributor.

And one of my faves is the bumGenius Elementals — the organic cotton is super absorbent. And the Grovia AIO is one of my favorites too. :)

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