

MODERN NAPPIES

Modern cloth nappies mimic the fit and performance of disposable nappies and suit babies of all shapes and sizes.

Cloth nappies are also cheaper than disposable nappies over the 2.5 years of your child's nappy-wearing years, even when you factor in the cost of washing cloth nappies at home.



Benefits of reusable nappies

On top of the costs savings, reusable nappies reduce waste dramatically, saving a lot of space in your bin.

They are also free from skin irritants like chlorine bleaches and absorbant crystals that can be harsh on baby's skin.

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WHY REUSABLE?

LEARN MORE

The Nappy Project is a joint project between 14 Victorian Councils. It offers free resources to make it easier for families to use reusable nappies and save money and reduce waste.

Visit the website for more information, including videos and resources:

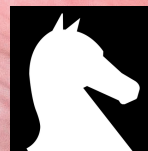
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Resources



Workshops



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TIME FOR A CHANGE



NOT JUST NAPPIES

You can save even more money by using other reusable items such as wet bags, washable change mats and reusable wipes, instead of disposable.

For example, a set of 25 cloth wipes can cost \$30-\$50 compared to \$600 for disposable wipes over 2.5 years.

Instead of purchasing brand new, you can also make your own reusable wipes using old face washers, towels or flannelette sheets.

CALCULATING SAVINGS

	Disposables (approximate cost \$)	Reusables (approximate cost \$)
First child 2.5 years - nappies	\$3,000	\$800
First child 2.5 years - wipes	\$600	\$30
Washing costs - 2.5 years	0	\$500
Total first child	\$3,600	\$1,330
Total second child	\$3,600	\$500
Total	\$7,200	\$1,830
Total savings (2 children)		\$5,370

