

## Consign with Mollywogs

Mollywogs is a consignment shop, which means we do not buy your items outright, but instead compensate you when your items are sold. For most toys and clothing we offer a 40/60 split (you will receive 40% of whatever price we are able to get for your item). For most baby gear and larger items, we offer a 50/50 split of the price we get for your items. You may take payment for your items in one of two ways: store credit or check. When using store credit at Mollywogs, you will receive 10% off full priced, gently used items. We issue checks once a month. We generally keep items in our store for three months. If we do not sell your item(s) after this time, you will receive a telephone call, if your items are not picked up within 15 days they will be donated to a charity.

In an effort to reduce the waiting time to consign with Mollywogs, we will no longer make any appointments for consignment. Instead, you may bring your things at the following times.

**Please call before you bring your things!** When we are over-full, we will cancel the consignment intake times. If your items are large, please call to make sure we have space. This website was updated September 2008, if it has been awhile, call to make sure we haven't changed.

### CLOTHING and SHOES:

On **Tuesday and Friday** mornings, clothing are accepted between **9:00 am and 11:30 am**, as time and space allows. **All brands** of clothing will be considered, but we will still be focusing on your nicest items, especially brand names like those listed below. At times when we are over-full, Mollywogs will cancel these times, please call to make sure we are accepting.

*All your items must be in excellent shape:*

- NO stains, tears or piling
- NO smoke smell
- NO missing buttons, broken zippers
- NO pet hair or lint
- **Freshly laundered**
- We accept jackets, snow gear, swimsuits and Halloween costumes year round.
- Free of wrinkles
- Seasonal (changes in January and July)
- Complete (no missing parts)

**Please bring only the nicest of your things.**

*Some of our customers' favorites:*

- Gap
- Gymboree
- The Children's Place
- Old Navy
- Quiksilver
- Babystyle
- Naartjie
- Stride Rite
- Baby Lulu
- CachCach
- Baby Nay
- Mimi Maternity
- A Pea in the Pod
- Japanese Weekend

## BABY GEAR AND TOYS:

Baby gear items and toys may be brought any day, between **12 noon and 3 pm**, please call before you come to insure space for your items. You may bring a **maximum of 10 items** at a time. All items must be clean, fully functioning and have all pieces (including batteries). Please bring instruction manuals whenever possible. This list is not intended to be complete, but to give an idea of the types of baby gear we will accept.

- Play Yards
- Exersaucers
- Jumperoos
- Bouncy Seats
- Swings
- High Chairs
- Walkers
- Toddler Car Seats
- Booster Chairs
- Jogging Strollers
- Strollers
- Bassinets
- Cradles
- Changing Tables
- Doorway Bouncers
- Baby Slings, Carriers and Backpacks
- Gliders and Rocking Chairs
- Toys (maximum of 10)

This schedule is subject to change.

## Preparing Your Items for Consignment

We accept a large variety of baby and children's items at Mollywogs, but only if they are in excellent condition. Before you bring your items in for our inspection, we ask that you go through them and bring only those that meet the following standards. In general, the nicer your things look the more likely we are to sell them.

**Clothing** is accepted from preemie up to children's size 12. We also take maternity clothing. Clothing must not have stains, tears, the smell of smoke or other odors, pet hair, piling, missing buttons, broken zippers or excessive wear. Wrinkled clothing will also be rejected. Clothes must be freshly laundered, within a week of bringing them if possible. If your clothes have been stored for a long time, it is very important to wash them and take quickly from the dryer and lay flat or fold neatly. Clothing brought in a box or storage tub tend to look much better than those in bags. Please keep multi-piece outfits together. We accept clothing seasonally (Spring/Summer clothing from January through June, Fall/Winter clothing from July through December). Bathing suits, winter jackets and Halloween costumes are accepted year round and stored for their appropriate season. Keep in mind it will take up to two weeks from the time you bring your items for them to get to our racks, please plan for holiday attire accordingly.

**Baby Gear and Toys** must be clean, free of smoke or other bad odors, not faded, complete, fully functional, and should meet all current safety standards. If you know your item has been affected by a recall, do not bring it to Mollywogs, but instead contact the manufacturer for instructions. If your item has a seat or other parts made of fabric, completely remove the seat, if possible, and wash according to the manufacturer's instructions. Please bring any manuals you have for the item, especially for baby gear. We require all items in the store have

functioning batteries. If your item needs batteries, we can add them, but we do charge the cost of the batteries to your account. We do not accept used breast pumps as they are considered medical equipment.

**Cribs** must have slats with gaps no more than 2-3/8 inches wide, and have been made after 1974. All hardware including bolts, nuts and screws must be present and functioning. The crib must be in good working order. Please clean all parts of the crib before you bring it to Mollywogs. We always appreciate the inclusion of a mattress. While we can put together cribs, we do appreciate fully assembled cribs. We have limited space for cribs; typically we will put your name on a list and call you when we have room for your crib.

**Car Seats** are accepted under certain circumstances. Please be aware that the CHP and other safety groups do not think you should use a used car seat. It is illegal to sell a car seat that has been in any car accident. We accept car seats that are clean, were made within the last five years, do not have any cracks or missing parts (including manual), have not been affected by a safety recall, have a 5 point safety harness, and which have never been in an accident. We must insist you bring the manual for any car seat so the new owner can use it properly. Before you bring your car seat to Mollywogs, please remove the cover and wash according to the manufacturer's instructions.