



keep cool

Fossil's latest collection of pretty purses (\$48) and wrist pouches (\$78) gives you good reason to flash your cash. These nifty numbers, which feature owl, bird or flower appliques with witty words charmingly stitched on, combine vintage style with quirky design. With such cute money-keepers, you've got a great excuse to fish some money out of your bag. Grab yours at any Fossil store.



handyhelp

The next time you head to the playground or mall, pack a bottle of **HiGreen** hand sanitiser for the kids. Your little one will love sweet scents like peach, berries and baby powder, as well as the cute cartoon character packaging. Enriched with moisture beads containing vitamins A and

E and glycerin, this non-drying product is gentle on your tyke's tender skin. At \$5.80/80ml, the nifty little bottle is a useful add-on to your tote or diaper bag. At Watsons, Unity and The Living Pharmacy outlets.



marriage of convenience

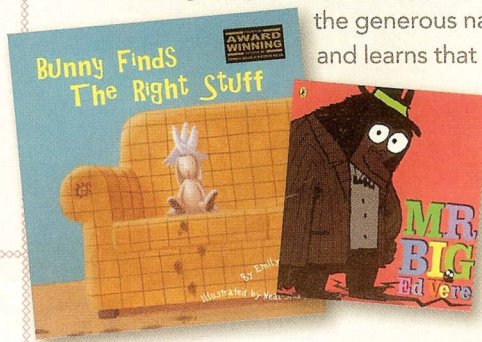
Prepping homemade food for your baby just got easier with **Philips Avent's** two-in-one combination steamer and blender (\$199). A simple turn of the jar is all you need to go from steam to blend. Even techno-challenged mums will love this! With only one pitcher to wash up after you cook your sweetie's nosh, you'll cut down on clean-up time, too! Prepares up to four portions at a time. Get it at major department stores, baby specialty shops and selected hospital pharmacies.



a friend in read

Share these great bedtime reads to teach your little one important values like friendship, empathy and social acceptance. When Mr Big the gorilla finds friendship and acceptance in Ed Vere's **Mr Big**, your tot will learn about not judging a book by its cover and that true friends come in any shape or size. Your mini reader will also enjoy **Bunny Finds The Right Stuff**, by local writer Emily Lim. In this touching story, Bunny, a floppy toy rabbit, discovers the generous nature of friendship and learns that you can be loved

for who you are. Available at major bookstores (\$15 and \$18.69 before GST).



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What do celeb babies have in common? They all adore **Sophie the Giraffe**, a handmade-in-France teether. Soft, light and slender, babies love biting her bumpy head to soothe sore gums, or chewing on her slender legs to get to harder-to-reach molars. Another tot-friendly feature — she squeaks happily when you squeeze her body. Made of 100 per cent natural rubber and food paint, this toy/teether, which has a 48-year history, is BPA- and phthalates-free, so baby can gnaw in complete safety. Get it for \$39.90 at www.sophie.sg, Little Colette, Mother & Child and Metro Woodlands.

