

MOST POPULAR BABY NAMES 2014



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It's here!

You're looking at the most popular baby names of 2014, chosen by you, our **Huggies** mum and dads. This year the usual suspects sit like a cherry-on-top of the list, sprinkled with a few trendy names for those inventive and daring parents.

Why not join the **Huggies Baby Club** and share your own baby name list?

Chart Toppers

Roll call for Ava, Aria, Charlotte, Archer, Oliver and Flynn! You're our chart toppers for 2014. We expect a few of you to rule the classroom in a couple of years' time.

The Hundred-Year Return

If it worked for our great grandparents, it works well enough for us. We're seeing a trend of the top names making a hundred-year return. What's that you ask? Well, it seems that we parents love the same names that our parents' parents' parents' loved a century ago, like William and Ruby. Baby it's all in the genes.

Kreativ spelling

When it comes to choosing baby names, more parents are leaning towards being more unique and original. You only need to take a look at the top boy names such as Xavier and Hunter to see baby names that are on the less traditional side.

But why stop there? Mums and dads are turning to creative spelling to make their little boy or girl's name even more distinctive. Charli/Charlie, Sophia/Sofia, Lilly/Lily to name a few. Hyphens, apostrophes or even double letters - you name it, you got it.

Did someone call my name?

Baby names that are shorter, easier to pronounce, and have a ring to them are moving to the top of our most popular lists. For boys, shorter syllables for a sturdy, solid sounding name like Hunter and Noah are more prevalent, while girls' names tend to end in softer vowels and rounded tones, like Ella and Amelia.



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And we'll never be royals

The royal fever has cooled down slightly in 2014, with William falling out of our Top 10 Boys Names.

The British monarchy still rules though. Harry, Henry and Charlotte make a royal appearance in our most popular boys and girls names, though it seems baby Prince George was staying out of the limelight this year.

Where do they come from?

Inspiration for names often comes from movies, music and pop culture. After all, it's not uncommon for parents to name their child after someone they admire, right?

Big name **celebrities and stars** also provide us with some edgy and obscure names in 2014, like Bodhi Random (Megan Fox and Brian Austin Green), Apollo Bowie Flynn (Gwen Stefani and Gavin Rossdale), Otis Alexander (Olivia Wilde and Jason Sudeikis), and baby girl Frankie (Drew Barrymore and Will Kopelman).

Want more fun and out-of-this world ideas? Head to **Huggies unique baby names** for some new inspiration.

Start a Baby Name Trend

Have your say of what's hot and what's not and create your own baby name list.

Become a Huggies member and share it with us.





Boys

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| 1. Archer | 18. Blake | 35. Jackson |
| 2. Oliver | 19. Cooper | 36. Leo |
| 3. Flynn | 20. Ethan | 37. Samuel |
| 4. Noah | 21. Max | 38. Eli |
| 5. Xavier | 22. Liam | 39. Luca |
| 6. Jack | 23. Thomas | 40. Jaxon |
| 7. Hunter | 24. Archie | 41. Addison |
| 8. Lucas | 25. Finn | 42. Benjamin |
| 9. Harrison | 26. Braxton | 43. Harry |
| 10. Harper | 27. Henry | 44. Aidan |
| 11. Oscar | 28. Ryder | 45. Sebastian |
| 12. Lachlan | 29. Logan | 46. Theodore |
| 13. William | 30. Levi | 47. Ashton |
| 14. Mason | 31. Jasper | 48. Joshua |
| 15. James | 32. Jacob | 49. Beau |
| 16. Alexander | 33. Nate | 50. Elijah |
| 17. Hudson | 34. Isaac | |





Girls

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| 1. Ava | 18. Lily | 35. Hazel |
| 2. Aria | 19. Violet | 36. Cadence |
| 3. Charlotte | 20. Emily | 37. Isabelle |
| 4. Amelia | 21. Imogen | 38. Emma |
| 5. Isla | 22. Eva | 39. Savannah |
| 6. Ruby | 23. Indie | 40. Georgia |
| 7. Grace | 24. Matilda | 41. Ayla |
| 8. Ella | 25. Abigail | 42. Alice |
| 9. Mia | 26. Lexie | 43. Lola |
| 10. Sienna | 27. Lucy | 44. Annabelle |
| 11. Chloe | 28. Rose | 45. Aaliyah |
| 12. Olivia | 29. Sophia | 46. Phoebe |
| 13. Evie | 30. Audrey | 47. Jade |
| 14. Isabella | 31. Zoe | 48. Charli |
| 15. Zara | 32. Layla | 49. Arabella |
| 16. Sophie | 33. Poppy | 50. Millie |
| 17. Scarlett | 34. Stella | |

