



Do you know when it's ok to leave your children alone?
Follow the USAFE rules to protect yourself and your children!

Youth Supervision Guidelines



Age of Child	Left w/o Sitter in Quarters	Left Alone Overnight	Outside Unattended During Daylight Hours (To Include Walking to School & Playing)	Left in Car Unattended	Child Sit Others
Newborn to Age 4	No	No	No	No; With the only exception of paying for gas at the window outside AAFES	No
Age 5 to 6	No	No	Yes; playground or yard with immediate access (visual sight or hearing distance) to adult supervision.	No; With the only exception of paying for gas at the window outside AAFES	No
Age 7 to 9	No	No	Yes; With ready access to adult supervision.	Yes; with keys removed and hand-brake applied; 15 minutes. maximum	No
Age 10 to 11	Yes; with ready access (phone number to an adult supervisor)	No	Yes; With ready access to adult supervision	Yes; keys removed and handbrake applied	No
Age 12 to 15	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes; Red Cross babysitting training is recommended
Age 16 to 17	Yes	Yes; may be left alone for short TDYs or leaves, not to exceed 3 consecutive days. Parent to provide adult supervision. Child must have available access to adult supervision.	Yes	Yes	Yes; Red Cross babysitting training is recommended

