

RAFL/RAFM Youth Supervision Guidelines

Can I....	Leave my child in quarters without a sitter?	Leave my child alone overnight?	Leave my child outside unattended during daylight hours? (Including walking to school and playing)	Leave my child in the car unattended?	Allow my child to babysit others?
Newborn to 4 years	No	No	No	No, with the only exception of paying for gas at the window outside AAFES	No
Ages 5 to 6	No	No	Yes, in a 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
Ages 7 to 9	No	No	Yes, with ready access to adult supervision	Yes, with keys removed and handbrake applied. 15 min. maximum.	No
Ages 10 to 11	Yes, with ready access to a phone	No	Yes, with ready access to adult supervision	Yes	No
Ages 12 to 15	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	Yes, Red Cross babysitting training is recommended
Ages 16 to 17	Yes	Yes, for short TDYs or leaves, not to exceed 3 consecutive days. Child must have available access to adult supervision.	Yes	Yes	Yes, Red Cross babysitting training is recommended

Current through April 2020. For questions please contact your Family Advocacy Office at DSN: 226-8070 or Com 01638-528070. To report any incidents, please contact your command, FAP office, the ER, or Security Forces at 226-2333.