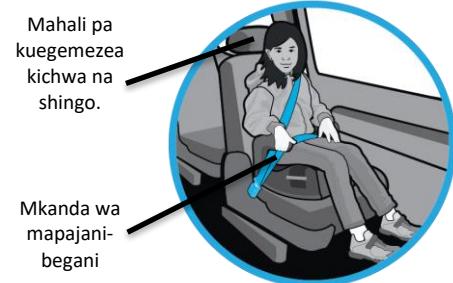
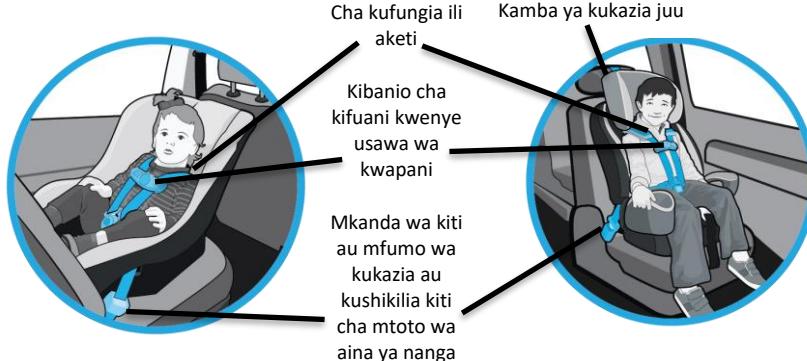


# Mtoto wako yupo katika kiti sahihi?



## Kiti kinachoangalia nyuma

- Kiti kinachoangalia nyuma kinatoa usalama zaidi kwa kichwa cha mtoto, shingo na uti wa mgongo endapo gari litasimama ghafla au kupata ajali.
- Mtoto wako anapokipita kiti cha watoto wachanga, tumia kiti kikubwa zaidi kinachoangalia nyuma.
- Mtoto wako yupo salama zaidi kwenye kiti cha kuangalia nyuma anapokuwa garini mpaka atakapofikisha umri wa miaka 2,3 au hata 4.
- Endelea kumuweke mtoto wako katika kiti cha watoto kinachoangalia nyuma ikiwa bado anaenea kwenye kiti kikubwa kinachoangalia nyuma.

## Kiti kinachoangalia mbele

- Kiti cha mtoto kinachoangalia mbele humlinda mtoto ambaye amekua na kutoenea katika kiti kikubwa kinachoangalia nyuma.
- Muweke mtoto wako ndani ya mikanda yenyе vibianio sehemu 5 mpaka atakapofikisha uzito wa kilogramu 18 (Paundi 40) na anaweza kuketi sawasawa. Hii inaweza kuwa anapofikisha umri wa miaka 4,5 au hata 6.
- Endapo mtoto wako atakua na kutoenea tena katika kiti hiki kabla hajawa tayari, utahitaji kiti chenye mikanda yenyе vibianio sehemu 5 ambacho kinaweza kumtosha mtoto mrefu na mzito zaidi.

## Kiti cha nyongeza

- Kiti cha nyongeza humnyanyua mtoto juu ili mkanda wa gari utumiwao na watu wazima umtoshe katika sehemu ya mwili wake yenyе mifupa yenyе nguvu zaidi.
- Mtoto wako lazima awe na uzito angalau kilogramu 18 (paundi 40) ili aweze kutumia kiti cha nyongeza.
- Mtoto wako lazima awe na uwezo wa kuketi vizuri akiwa amenyooka bila kujizungusha zungusha au kujifungua mkanda.
- Tumia kiti cha nyongeza mpaka pale mtoto wako atakapofikisha angalau urefu wa sentimita 145 (futi 4 na inchi 9) na anaweza kutumia mkanda kwa usahihi.

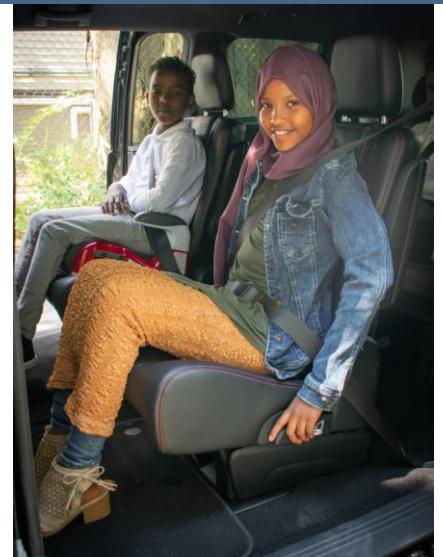
## Mara zote fuata maelekezo juu ya kiti chako

### Mtoto wako anaweza kutumia mkanda wa abiria kwa usalama?

- Je, mtoto wako ana urefu wa angalau sentimita 145 (futi 4 na inchi 9)?
- Je, magoti ya mtoto wako yanafika kwa urahisi kwenye pembe ya kiti akiwa ameketi nyuma kabisa ya kiti?
- Je, mkanda wa abiria wa juu ya mapaja unabakia chini na kupita juu ya mifupa ya nyonga?
- Je, mkanda wa abiria wa begani unapita kifuani na unakaa kati ya shingo na bega la mwanao?
- Je, mtoto wako anaweza kuketi namna hii katika safari nzima bila kuinama?

**Mpaka mtoto wako atakapoweza kufikisha au kutimiza hatua zote 5, endelea kutumia kiti cha nyongeza kila anaposafiri kwenye gari.**

Watoto walio na umri wa chini ya miaka 13 wapo salama zaidi katika viti vya nyuma vya gari.



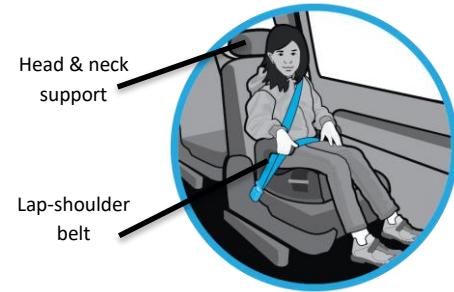
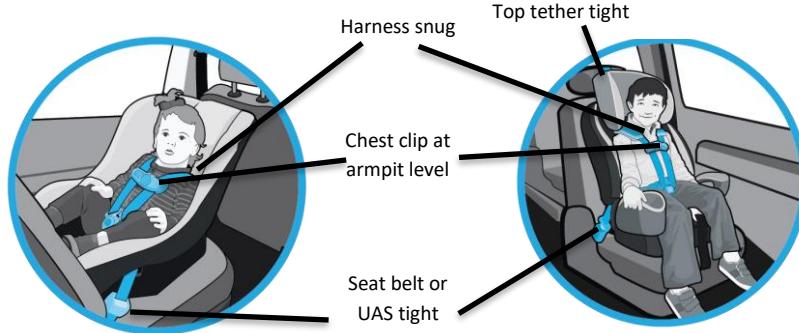
## Una maswali?

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# Is your child in the right seat?



## Rear-facing seat

- A rear-facing seat provides the best protection for your child's head, neck and spine in a sudden stop or crash.
- When your baby outgrows the infant seat, use a larger rear-facing seat.
- Your child is safest riding rear-facing until 2, 3 or even 4 years old.
- Keep your child rear facing for as long as he or she still fits the larger, rear-facing seat.

## Forward-facing seat

- A forward-facing seat protects a child who has outgrown his or her larger rear-facing seat.
- Keep your child in a 5-point harness until he or she weighs at least 18 kg (40 pounds) and is able to sit correctly. This may be at 4, 5 or even 6 years old.
- If your child outgrows this seat before he or she is ready, you will need a 5-point harness seat that will hold a taller, heavier child.

## Booster seat

- A booster seat lifts the child up so that the adult seat belt fits across the strongest bones.
- Your child must weigh at least 18 kg (40 pounds) to use a booster seat.
- Your child must be able to sit straight and tall without moving around or unbuckling.
- Use a booster seat until your child is at least 145 cm (4 feet 9 inches) tall and fits the seat belt correctly.

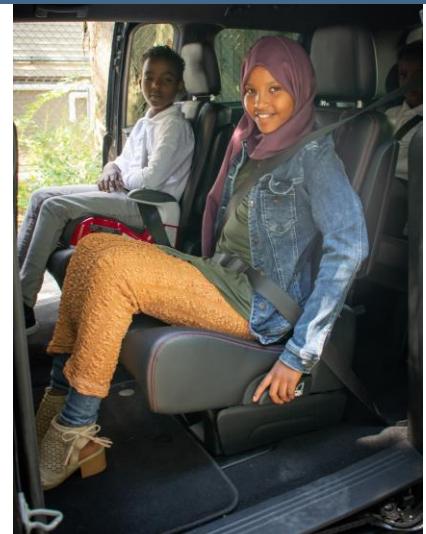
## Always follow the instructions for your seat.

## Can your child safely use a seat belt?

- Is your child at least 145 cm (4 feet 9 inches) tall?
- Do your child's knees bend comfortably at the edge of the seat when he or she is sitting all the way back?
- Does the lap belt stay low and snug across the hip bones?
- Does the shoulder belt cross the chest and stay between your child's neck and shoulder?
- Can your child sit like this for the whole trip without slouching?

**Until your child can meet all 5 steps, keep using a booster seat on every ride.**

Children under the age of 13 are safest in the back seat.



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