Baby Shower Games

1. Baby Mad-Lib Questions

Pass out note cards and pencils to each attendee. Each person writes a common baby question such as "What do you do when a baby cries?" or "How do you get a baby to sleep through the night?" Then collect the cards and redistribute them face down (so you cannot see the question) and have each attendee write the answer to their initial question on the blank side. Then read the cards and get ready to laugh!

For example, you could have a card with a question "How do you know you have folded a cloth diaper correctly?" on one side and the answer "When you get your first smile" on the other.

2. Baby Shower Bag Game

Use a white or brown lunch bag and spell out: BABYSHOWER.

In each bag is something for the baby. For example B has binki, A has applesauce, etc. Attendees guess what is in each bag. The person with the most correct guesses wins. The best part, the mother-to-be receives all of these items as a great gift.

3. The Price is Right

The hostess (host) purchases about 10 different baby items that are used everyday such as wipes, diaper rash cream, nail clippers, bibs, etc. The attendees have to guess how much each item costs (not including tax). The person who comes the closest to the grand total of everything purchased wins, and the mom-to-be keeps all the items.

Hint: The easiest way to do this is to have the cashier just ring up those items so all the items are on one receipt and nothing else. Also, try and purchase these items where most people shop for these types of things. In other words, don't go to a high priced baby store, go to Target, K-mart, Wal-Mart, etc. Thanks go to Laura for the game idea.

4. Who Did What Game

Attendees try to find someone at the party who, as a child, did something that was unique. The host/hostess may check up on the attendees before the party for specifics. Here are a sample of items from one baby shower:

Played a string instrument	Did not have any sisters
Wore glasses	Born in a foreign country
Wore braces	Won a trophy
Born the same month as the baby's due date	Wore a cast
Walked before their first birthday	Had 3 or more brothers
Sang in the choir	Walked to school (in the snow?)
Was not born in a hospital	Had a horse (not rocking)
Sent to the principal's office	Was chalkboard monitor

Each attendee is given a piece of paper with the above and a line for the name. Attendees circulate so they can ask each other the questions. A name can only appear once on each attendee's sheet. Great game if the attendees do not know each other well.