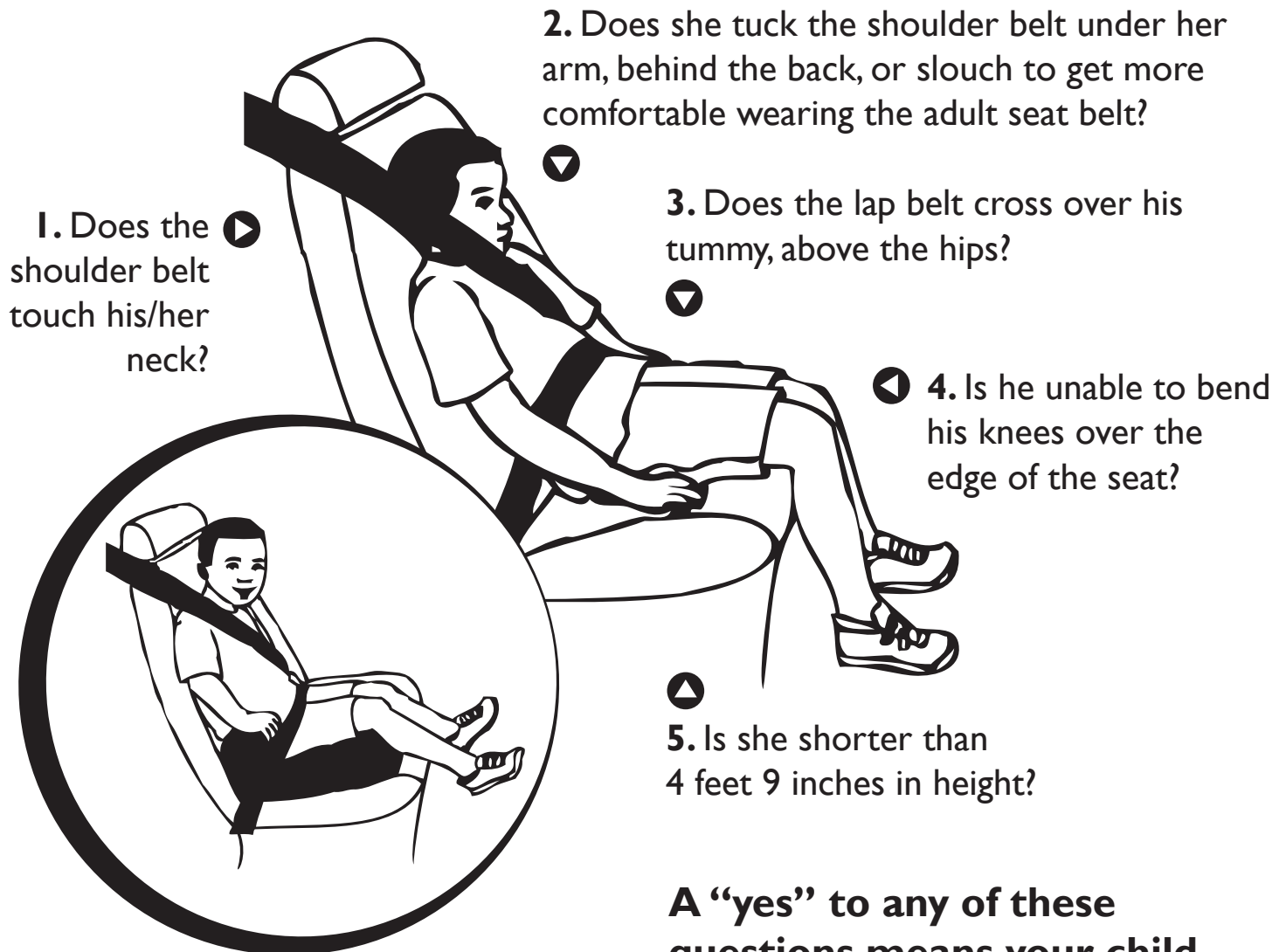


Does my child need a booster seat?

You can check to see if your child needs to ride in a booster seat. Have your child sit, [without a car or booster seat], in the back seat of the car where they usually ride. Make sure his back, from top to bottom, is against the seat of the car.



1. Does the shoulder belt touch his/her neck?

2. Does she tuck the shoulder belt under her arm, behind the back, or slouch to get more comfortable wearing the adult seat belt?

3. Does the lap belt cross over his tummy, above the hips?

4. Is he unable to bend his knees over the edge of the seat?

5. Is she shorter than 4 feet 9 inches in height?

A “yes” to any of these questions means your child needs a booster.

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Schedule a free booster seat check. You can also receive a new seat if one is needed.

Donations are accepted for car seats and booster seats.