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Indigo rolls out more shops, toys and deals for holiday shoppers

Gift Shopping is Easy at Indigo with Thousands of New Toys

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Toronto, ON – Indigo becomes the country's largest specialty toy retailer with the expansion of Indigo Kids shops at Indigo and Chapters stores across Canada, and the addition of more than 4,000 toys online at chapters.indigo.ca. Gifts for kids top every holiday shopping list and gift seekers are sure to find something for every special someone on their gift list with Indigo's expanded assortment of must-have toys, games and books. From easy-to-shop displays organized by age and stage in-store, to a dynamic online Gift Finder that helps shoppers discover the ideal gift for kids, tweens and teens, Indigo is making gift giving a happy experience this year.

Shopping and Saving

From 6:00 pm until close on November 9th and 10th, 2010 Indigo and Chapters stores nationally will host exclusive "Mom's Night Out" shopping events where moms can enjoy samples of gourmet holiday confections, toy demonstrations from Indigo Kids Experts as well as savings up to 25% off their purchases. In addition to exclusive shopping events across the country, Toy shoppers will delight in great savings with weekly "Holiday Deals" in-store and the "Deal Zone" at chapters.indigo.ca brings together all of Indigo's best offers in one easy-to-bookmark spot online. Combining impressive selection, easy shopping and smart savings, Indigo remains a trusted one-stop-shop for Canadian parents seeking hot toys and gifts this holiday season.

Indigo's Top Ten Toys

"Kids want fun toys. And parents want toys that are affordable, safe and durable along with great play value," notes Trevor Dayton, VP, Kids and Entertainment, Indigo Books & Music Inc. "We reviewed hundreds of amazing toys, developed a few of our own, let kids take them for a test drive and now we're excited to feature our top toy picks at Indigo and Chapters stores across the country."

- Lego Creationary SRP \$44.95 great fun for the whole family (age 7+)
- My First School Desk SRP \$19.95
 a portable wooden desk for preschoolers
- Quercetti Sky Rail Roller Coaster SRP \$39.95 design and build together (age 7+)
- Green Toys Fire Truck SRP \$29.95
 a classic toddler toy made with recycled plastic
- Melissa & Doug Grocery Cart SRP \$59.95 a Heather's Kids Pick
- Indigo Kids Dollhouse SRP \$149.95
 the ultimate for hours of playing house (age 4+)
- Filly Princess SRP \$2.95
- this year's hot school yard toy to collect, play and trade
- Groovy Scrapbook SRP \$24.95
 a 48-page hardcover loaded with accessories (age 6+)
- I <u>I Can Cook</u> SRP \$22.95
 a fun, bright infant toy from Alex Toys
- My First Zamboni SRP \$29.95 customizable remote-controlled Zamboni for little hockey fans

In addition to these top picks, holiday shoppers can find helpful reviews and recommendations from other parents online at chapters.indigo.ca while Indigo Toy experts share insights and updates on the Indigo Blog. Indigo's new website boasts new design, new products and more ways to shop including Wish Lists, Shopping Lists and now free shipping on most online purchases over \$25. In-store and online Indigo makes it easy for families to find the best, gifts, books and toys for every child at the top of their holiday shopping list.

Quotes

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winning Indigo Online Community. Chapters and Indigo are rated as the number one and number two retailers in Canada by the Kubas Major Market Retail Report, and have been on that list since 2000.

Indigo Books & Music Inc. founded the Indigo Love of Reading Foundation in 2004 to address the underfunding of public schools, their libraries and the resulting literacy crisis. Every year the Indigo Love of Reading Foundation commits \$1.5 million to high-needs elementary schools so they can rebuild their libraries with the purchase of new books and education resources. To date the Indigo Love of Reading Foundation has committed more than \$9 million to 90 schools

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