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stuff your stockings

gifts for less than \$25

Herewith are 25 stocking stuffer ideas guaranteed to go easy on the wallet — all are less than \$25.

(1.) The budding chef in your house will love the playful, standable Head Chef utensils, with irreverent shapes molded onto everyday spoons and spatulas (\$9.99, Kitchen Collage).

(2.) Babies and design mavens alike grab onto the bright colors and solid wooden shapes of Haba clutching toys from Germany (\$15.99, Simply for Giggles).

(3.) The adventurer will appreciate the Life-line in a Bottle, with compass, whistle, batteries and solar blanket, all packed in a reusable water bottle (\$9.99, Scheels).

(4.) If no one you know is the “Man vs. Wild” type, try on a little together time with the Family Talk game, an easily transportable, fun game for a range of ages (\$11.99, Learning Post).

