

Not Your Typical Couch Potato: #MySundayPhoto â€“ 07.05.15

Description

A Couch Potato, as defined by [Merriam-Webster](#) is a lazy and inactive person; especially : one who spends a great deal of time watching television. Avery has watched a few shows here and there, but not often and she has yet to sit still longer than 5 minutes to see whatâ€™s on screen, so she is far from a couch potato.

While the dictionary definition does not apply, this little girl has taken to climbing and walking/jumping all over the couch lately. Iâ€™ll be in the kitchen (like usual) with my back turned and all of the here a little voice say â€œHi.â€• Instantly, I know what Iâ€™ll see when I turn around, and sure enoughâ€¦!

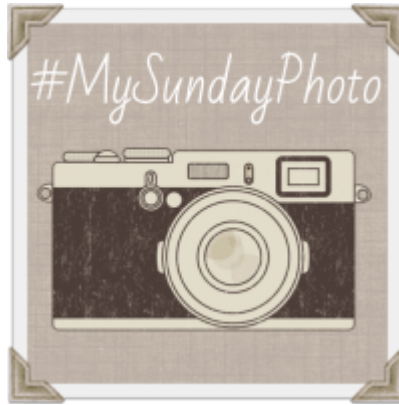


How can you get on to that face? Itâ€™s hard enough to suppress a smile, but to then have a stern voice? Forget it! I try to offer other, safer alternatives, but the allure of the couch is just too strong for anything else, even her shadow.

Hopefully she wonâ€™t have to learn the dangers of jumping on the couch through experience. Then again, maybe itâ€™s a right of passage as a toddler. After all, my mom continues to remind me how I met with the corner of a wooden speaker box at that age. We donâ€™t have sharp cornered objects surrounding the couch, so at least *thatâ€™s* working in our favor.

Does your kid love jumping on the couch, bed, or something else?

Ever have an accident as a result, or can you remember when you hurt yourself as kid?



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