

Baby Koo opens in Newton

Baby Koo, a new contemporary baby boutique, is now open on Needham Street in Newton. The shop features carefully selected products ranging from eco-friendly furniture to organ-

ic clothing. Baby Koo focuses on providing well-designed products with high utility and the best components. The store is stocked only with environmentally responsible items, accord-

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ing to a press release.

Exclusive lines offered at Baby Koo include Duc Duc furniture, Nook bedding, Clek and Recaro car seats, GroBags, the Spot on Square see-through crib and Haba toys. Additionally, owner Karina Meleger has contracted with unique and local vendors to create custom nursery wall decals. Home décor appropriate beyond the nursery includes many green-certified home goods, bath linens and bedding. Organic skin and body care, as well as Barefoot Dreams robes make the perfect treat for the modern day mom-to-be.

Meleger founded Baby Koo as a new mother who was frustrated with the lack of high-quality, functional and beautiful baby products made without chemicals in an environmentally responsible way. As she began researching options, there was really no local answer to the demand for the eco- and natural-conscious customer.

At 188 Needham St. in Newton, Baby Koo is open Tuesday through Saturday from 10 a.m.-5 p.m., open late on Thursdays until 7 p.m., and is online at www.baby-koo.com. For more information, call 617-467-5860.