

the ULTIMATE stuffers

1 BUG OFF The Hexbug Nano's 12 angled legs gyrate like crazy. It switches directions and flips over when turned on its back. (\$7.99; hexbug.com)

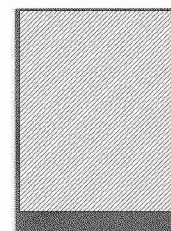
2 IN HER SHOES Super-cute Mary Jane booties for babies and toddlers come in 15 styles, including zebra, faux mink, and tapestry. (\$10; babybellamaya.com)

3 STRING US ALONG There are more than 100 kooky little key chains in the String Doll Gang, so there's one for every personality. (\$10; kamibashi.com)

4 SOAP STAR This shiny bauble shimmers on the tree; after the holidays, use the Chocolate Mint Bubble Bath inside. (\$5; pier1.com)

5 SMART STORAGE The Flört MP3 holder is part of a three-piece set (pencil case and small bag not shown). Also in red and lime-green. (\$1.99; at Ikea stores)

6 RISE AND SHINE Who wouldn't want to wake up to this sweet froggy Mini Travel Alarm Clock? Also comes shaped like a cupcake. (\$10; shop.sjude.org)



7 BRIGHT IDEA Tweens can use these fluorescent pencils as funky highlighters; little ones will love to scribble with them. (\$7.50 for six; spoonsisters.com)

8 WHO? Handmade from alpaca wool, precious Little Owls line up on a mantel, bookshelf, or windowsill. Other colors available. (\$10 each; artebebe.com)

9 LET IT SNOW Hang the Snowflake Ornament on the tree or in a window. Also available as a wreath or a flower. (\$6 each, or three for \$15; harrietandleo.com)

10 GARDEN VARIETY For your favorite apartment dweller: Just water Garden-in-a-Bag and watch it grow. Forty-five plants available. (\$8; pottingshedcreations.com)