

li:nth-child(1)

One
Two
Three
Four

Five
Six
Seven
Eight

:nth-child(2) :nth-child(3)

One
Two
Three
Four

Five
Six
Seven
Eight

*select elements
that are the first child
of their parent*

`:nth-child(odd) li:nth-child(-n+3)`

*select the third child
element of the second
element*

One
Two
Three
Four

Five
Six
Seven
Eight

Nine
Ten
Eleven
Twelve

*select the first three
 elements inside of
every odd element*