



HOW CAN YOU HELP YOUR CHILDREN TO SUCCEED AT SCHOOL



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1-Learn who is who at your child's school.

There are many people at your child's school dedicated to helping your child learn, grow socially and emotionally, and navigate the school environment.



2-Meet with your son or daughter's teacher.

As soon as the school year begins, find a way to meet with your child's teacher and let her know that you want to help your child learn. Make it clear that if you sense a problem is coming up, you want to know about it immediately. Talking with your child's teacher offers many ideas for starting a collaboration.



3-Attend parent-teacher conferences and keep in touch throughout the school year.

Schools usually offer one or two parent conferences annually. You may bring someone to serve as an interpreter or you may ask the school to provide one for you. You may also request to meet with your child's teacher at any time during the year. If you're concerned about something and you can't meet in person, send a short note or schedule a quick chat over the phone.



4-Support your child's academic efforts

Ask the teacher how your child is doing compared to other students. If your child is falling behind, especially in reading, ask what you or the school can do to help. It's important to act early before your child falls too far behind. Read reports or school reports of your academic performance.



5-Check your children's homework

Make your child understand that you think education is important and that homework needs to be done. You can help your child with homework in the following ways: Set aside a special place for your child to study, set a time for homework, and eliminate distractions like the TV and social calls. There are also many ways you can help if you don't know the subject thoroughly or because you don't speak English as well as your child.



6-Find someone to help your child with homework.

If you are having trouble helping your child with homework or school projects, ask to find someone else who can help you. Contact the school, tutoring groups, after school programs, churches, and libraries, or enlist the help of an older student, neighbor, or friend.



7-Collaborate with your child's school and/or participate in a parent-teacher group at the school.

Teachers really appreciate parents helping out at school. You can contribute in many ways. For example, by volunteering in your child's class or in the library or with food for a school event. If you work during the day, attend activities known as "Parent Nights" or your child's performances. In most schools a parent group meets regularly to discuss the school. These meetings will give you a good opportunity to talk with other parents and to work together to improve the school.



8- Ask Questions.

If you have concerns about your child's learning or behavior, ask the teacher or principal about the behavior and seek advice. Your questions might be like the following: What specific problems does my child have with reading? What can I do to help my child with this problem? How can I prevent other children from bullying my child? How can I help my child do homework? and What reading group does my child belong to?



9-Show a positive attitude with respect to education

What we say and do in our daily lives can help them develop positive attitudes toward school and learning, and build their self-confidence as students. By showing them that we value education and using our knowledge in everyday life, we set a very powerful example for them to follow, which goes a long way toward their success in school.

By showing an interest in children's education, parents and families can pick their interest and lead them to a very important discovery—that learning can be enjoyable and rewarding, and well worth the effort.



10. Encourage your child to read.

The most important thing you can do to help your child succeed in school—and in life—is help him/her read. We cannot overemphasize the importance of reading. Reading helps children excel in all their subjects. Furthermore, it is the key to lifelong learning.



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