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FMSD Family Night:

Supporting Academics in the Home

Tuesday, September 17, 2024

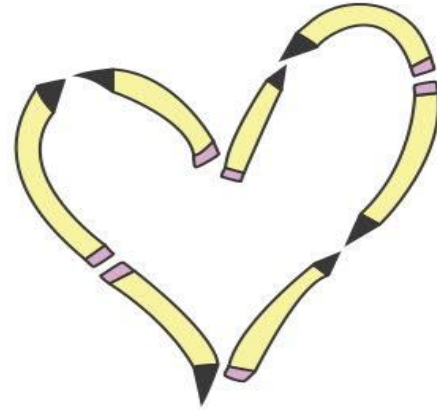


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Outcomes:

- ★ Equipping parents/guardians with practical strategies to help with academics in the home
- ★ Answering any questions that may arise

Agenda

- Homework Tips
- Questions



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Limit Distractions

Create a homework zone that is away from any distractions such as the T.V., pets, high traffic areas, and loud noises



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Provide Tools



Make sure that the materials your students needs to complete homework is readily available.



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Help Manage Time



Establish a set time for doing homework. Scheduling a regular time for homework completion and sticking to the schedule provides a structure for students to complete assignments in a timely manner.



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Be Positive

The attitude that you express toward homework will be the same attitude your students acquires. Make it a habit to tell your child what they are doing is important.



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Do Your Homework Too

Show that skills they're learning are related to things you also do as an adult. Example, if your student is reading, make it family reading time and everyone can grab a book!



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Teach, Don't Tell



When your student asks for help, it is important that you provide guidance, but not the answer.



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Communicate



Make sure you speak with your child's teacher to ensure understanding of the purpose of homework and what the class expectations are.



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Breaks



Watch your student for signs of frustration.
Provide a short break if they're having trouble
focusing on the assignment.



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Reward Progress & Effort



When your student has been successful and is working hard, stop to celebrate this success!

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Questions?