Parenting Resource List
2025-2026

This is parenting resource list contains links (in orange and blue) to websites. Click on each orange hyperlink or blue URL below to go to the website for more information. If you would like this emailed to you, please let the school counselor, Mrs. Roycroft, know.

Parenting Information:

- **Love and Logic:** Resources for parents and educators to guide children to becoming responsible and respectful URL: https://www.loveandlogic.com/

- **Active Parenting:** Based out of Marietta, GA, Dr. Michael Popkin's parent education curriculum includes books, classes and webinars. URL: https://activeparenting.com/for-leaders/research-studies-tools-and-tests/parents-reviews/

- **Parenting Today from the Child Development Institute:** This website has topics such as developmental stages of childhood, parenting advice, learning information, health and safety of children and much more. URL: https://childdevelopmentinfo.com/

- **ABC's of Raising Boys:** Lots of resources under each category from B is for Behavior to H is for Hands-on. URL: https://boymamateachermama.com/2013/01/07/boy-mama-teacher-mama-abcs-of-raising-boys/

- **Why and How to Handle Backtalk:** Ways to handle, "No! I won't!" or "You are so mean," in an article from Mom Life Today. URL: https://momlifetoday.com/how-to-handle-backtalk-and-why-we-need-to/

- **End Nagging and Negotiating:** Use 3 simple words and 5 steps from Positive Parenting Solutions. URL: https://www.positiveparentingsolutions.com/end-child-nagging-negotiating-with-just-three-simple-words/

- **Managing Problem Behavior at Home:** This article form Child Mind Institute walks parents through the A-B-C of behavior (antecedents, behavior, consequences) URL: https://childmind.org/article/managing-problem-behavior-at-home/

- **Free Printables for Mom:** Free printables on topics such as Social Manners, Chore Charts, Cell Phone Contracts, Back to School Checklists and many more! URL: https://www.imom.com/printables/

- **How Parents and Teachers Can Nurture the 'Quiet Power' of Introverts:** How to help kids who are introverted tap into their "superpowers."

URL: https://www.npr.org/sections/ed/2016/02/18/465999756/how-parents-and-teachers-can-nurture-the-quiet-power-of-introverts

- **Peace in Your Home:** An online parenting blog and site offering courses (for a fee).
  URL: https://www.peaceinyourhome.com/
  Are More Rules the Right Answer? Article exploring the overuse of rules and relationships to thoughtful parenting and thoughtful children
  URL: https://www.peaceinyourhome.com/blog/setting-boundaries%2F

Home Reward, Behavior, or Chore Systems:

- **Reward Suggestions for Kids: A Guide for Parents:** List of rewards for children based on ages (preschoolers, elementary school children, and teenagers).
  URL: https://childdevelopmentinfo.com/how-to-be-a-parent/parenting/rewards/#gs.8d3fjh

- **Free Printable Chore Charts for Kids:** 15 best chore charts that are printable.
  URL: https://www.mkewithkids.com/post/chore-charts-kids-free-printable-templates/

- **Punishments versus Consequences:** Article explaining the difference between punishments and consequences. Which are you using?
  URL: https://www.empoweringparents.com/article/punishments-vs-consequences-which-are-you-using/

- "**Which Consequences Should I Give My Child?**" This article contains links to appropriate consequences based on the age of the child.
  URL: https://www.empoweringparents.com/article/consequence-give-child-list/

School Tips & Transitions:

- **Transition to Kindergarten:** Helpful tips from NAEYC to help parents and students with a smooth transition to kindergarten URL: https://www.naeyc.org/our-work/families/transitioning-to-kindergarten

- **33 Simple Ways to Prepare Your Child for Kindergarten:** This is a downloadable list for parents to get their children ready for kindergarten.
  URL: https://www.icanteachmychild.com/33-ways-to-prepare-your-child-for-kindergarten/

- **School Anxiety:** Article on "What to Do When Your Anxious Child Refuses to Go to School." URL: https://anxietyfreechild.com/school-refusal/

- **Attendance Matters: Chronic Absence in Early Childhood Education:** This site explains why being present in school is so important to early learners. Now more

than ever, “research shows that preschoolers who miss 10% or more of the school year arrive at kindergarten with lower levels of school readiness” according to Attendance Works, (https://www.attendanceworks.org/resources/toolkits/early-education-toolkit/chronic-absence/).

Attendance Matters’ URL: https://www.educareschools.org/2024/05/16/attendance-matters-chronic-absence-in-early-childhood-education/

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