



Tips for Parents: Contact the School

Staying in regular contact with your child's teacher and school is more important than you may think. Your contact helps your child in a number of ways:

- You become aware of accomplishments, so you can give praise.
- You become aware of problems, so you can intervene before real trouble hits.
- The teacher pays more attention to your child.
- You can help shape school policies and practices.
- Your child understands that her/his education is important.

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