



talk to me...

Ask me what my teacher's name is.

Ask me what my principal's name is.

Ask me what my best friend's name is.

Ask me what my favorite part of the day is.

Share with me what you did today.

Encourage me to do my very best.

be a good listener...

Ask me what I want to be when I grow up.

Ask me what I want to study when I go to college.

Ask me what I had for lunch.

Ask me if I ate my lunch.

Know what I watch on TV and what music I like to listen to.

my best days start...

With a good breakfast.

When I wear clean and proper fitting clothes.

When I'm happy.

And end with a hug.

my best days at school begin when...

I'm prepared for school with my homework ready to be turned in.

I arrive at school on time.

I feel loved and safe.



tidbits...

I need lots of sleep so that I am well rested.

I need balanced meals so that I can grow.

Set up a work station at home so that I have a place to do homework.

Read to me. I like to listen to adventure stories.

It helps to build my imagination.

Read a good book yourself. It will help you to relax.

Attend parenting classes when they are offered. They will give you good parenting ideas.

Share your ideas at PTA meetings with other parents. Your efforts will be rewarding and appreciated.

Be a good role model for me. I like to do everything you do.

Set positive boundaries for me. Love me with all your heart.



get involved...

Attend Back to School Night...

I want you to meet my teacher and principal.

Attend parent teacher conferences...

I want you to see how I'm doing in school.

Attend open house...

I want to show you my world when I'm at school.

Join the Parent Teacher Association (PTA) at my school...

You will meet other parents and enjoy planning exciting activities for me.

Come to school and lunch with me...

You will make me feel special.

Volunteer in my classroom...

So you can see me in action.

Take me to festivals, events, zoos, performances and museums...

I learn through experiences.

Learn about and meet my friends.

Purposes of PTA

To promote the welfare of children and youth in home, school, community, and place of worship.

To raise the standards of home life.

To secure adequate laws for the care and protection of children and youth.

To bring into closer relation the home and the school, that parents and teachers may cooperate intelligently in the education of children and youth.

To develop between educators and the general public such united efforts as will secure for all children and youth the highest advantages in physical, mental, social, and spiritual education.

The Mission of the California State PTA

The mission of the California State PTA is to positively impact the lives of all children and families by representing our members and empowering and supporting them with skills in advocacy, leadership and communications.

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