Teach Her Voice Quick Guide: How To Be An Advocate For Your Child's Education

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Clearly state any concerns you may have about your child. Inquire firmly but respectfully about interventions and services.

For legal reasons, educators cannot be as direct with parents as we'd like to be.

Teachers cannot come right out and tell you if they think your child has a certain diagnosis.

If a teacher broaches the subject of an intervention or testing, take this conversation seriously. What should feel like a strong recommendation may feel more like a gentle suggestion.

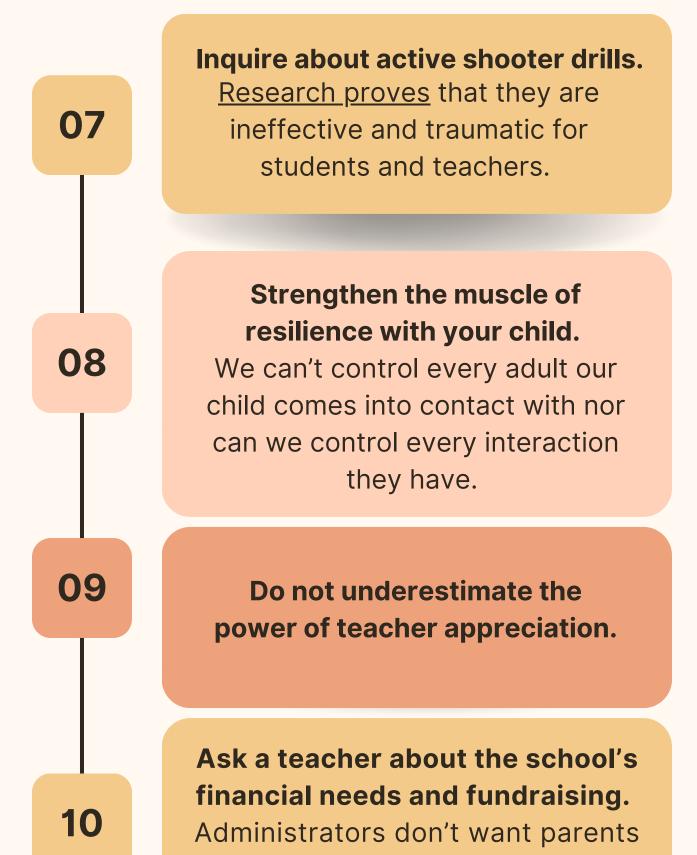
Follow up on any testing, IEP or 504 meetings.



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to know that we are struggling with resources, but...we are!

Inquire about your school district's approach to reading.

Are they using a reading program that's in line with the latest research on the science of reading?

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Remember the goal: You and the teachers are working together **as a team** to ensure your child's success.

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