

10 principles of successful home schooling

Reveal a big secret that such guidelines do not exist. This is both bad news and good. Bad because there are no magical instructions for your child that adheres to and get the child who wants to learn and assimilate the program as "excellent". Good because you, as parents, know your child better. It you can better organize learning with the same, sung in pedagogical treatises, individual approach.

Often parents who are planning home schooling for your child, or planning the transfer of children from mainstream schools, have a perfect idea of how you will be training. At school techniques do not take into account individual peculiarities of perception of information; and I will take into account, will give the material in pictures, cartoons and games, and the baby will just be happy to learn, will easily and quickly absorb the information, will want to learn every day, he ask to learn. Here at school they move a little, a little walk in the street; I will be conducting classes on the street. Cancel tracing, and the child himself will want to learn to write and to learn somehow.

Parents fall within a certain captured their perfect ideas about home schooling, mixed with childhood memories of school, really great teaching techniques, the belief that we should stay at home; and we will be different. Yes, it really will be different. But how exactly? Here begins the real adventure.

I was about the same as I wrote. Ideal representation of home schooling and my children's straight a student syndrome. Certain high expectations of yourself as a teacher-tutor-organizer of training, and child; student.

Of course, my expectations did not materialize as I had planned. But after a difficult period of adapting me to the role of a home teacher and child to home learning, after the absolute reformatting my brain about the process of learning, came a certain degree of stability, understanding and pleasure from the process. Yes, we still like to study at home. Learning at home the third year.

And now appear certain principles of learning, maybe they will help you. Perhaps these tips will be useful to parents who pull a child from regular school to home schooling and want to teach your child yourself. As well as those who plan to teach at home, but he never did that before. Who wants to, but has certain fears and many questions. Those who have already started to teach, but the reality does not match the perfect ideas, and you are not sure, make it right. I hope you'll find the answers to your questions.

So, the 10 principles of successful home schooling

1. Get to know your child, to deepen the attachment.

The first thing to remember and never forget that your child; special. And you of all people know its features. Favorite characters, a character as perceives the information better. If you didn't know her until this moment, now, when you start spending a lot of time together, to learn, to deepen the relationship. And that's fine!

Another problem solved with the deepening attachment with the child; you can become an authority for him, the child begins to perceive you as a teacher.

2. To reformat your brain.

Also you can learn better yourself. And not always with the best hand. All children's complexes, fears, automatic reaction, the same as you relate to the parents and teachers run the risk of to come up to the surface automatically and rapidly. You will learn how you patient, will remember what the words referred to you as parents and teachers, what methods were taught. And these methods will not always coincide with those described in the good books.

But there is good news. If you consciously stop your automatic reactions and replace them with new, over time will become easier. You will be surprised how you will become more tolerant. This is a great opportunity for powerful self-development that will benefit the entire family. Will also have to change the usual childhood teaching methods, learning approach to other, more efficient, enable creativity.

3. To reduce waiting.

If you studied well at school, reduce several times their expectations from the child. The child does not have to be perfect in all things, and do not need this. The child is not exactly like you, he has a different personality. He will not learn in the same way as you. He can perceive information differently, to love other items.

4. Patience, calm, the regime;trainer;

Even if your child is a genius, she can still write letters the mirror, it can be difficult to understand subtraction with transition through ten, how to find the unknown subtrahend why;I; is 2 sound that the letter in the equation; When you already know everything and perceive how basic it is difficult to understand how $2 + 2$ can be challenging.

But there are issues that are objectively difficult for children, and school teachers know the topic difficult others. We, the parents without teacher education in this respect is more complicated. So just learn patiently to explain a hundred times the same, but different, to invent clarity, to accept your child as he is different from you.

If the child is the first day understood everything perfectly and solve certain tasks, it is not the fact that he will solve the same task tomorrow. A month later, in the control? …

It happens that the child does not remember something of what we taught. And I was sure that he had to know. In this case, it helps me to enable “trainer”. OK, did not work now will work tomorrow. I, as the trainer who trains on the result, which encouraged me to believe, is an individual training schedule.

And in this we have, domashnikov, there is an advantage – we can see the real picture of knowledge of his disciple. Quickly go through some of the threads and to sit longer over others. To set realistic goals and achieve them.

5. Sometimes the best solution – leave the kid alone.

Let him do whatever he wants. Repeat after some time.

If something comes hard, we work out just to leave the child alone for a while. To leave this topic, go to another. And then get back in (sometimes a month or three times a year). And I have many times watched this phenomenon – what was difficult becomes easy after a while. Whether the brain takes this information a second time is not as new, but as familiar, and it is absorbed better. Whether the child just grows up to information or skills (like the ability to read and write).

6. Individual schedule, learning style. Don't be afraid to try and change.

Over time you will emerge a personal schedule, style and way of teaching, the best for you, which will take into account your characteristics and needs and child. Someone more suitable to clear the schedule with the early risers. Someone more free training, when in fact what they want to do child, intertwined in some way the requirements of the programme. Just a kid in free flight, and the program matters. There are many different options and I'm sure you, as parents, will select the best appropriate option for you.

There are no “right” and “wrong”. You can try different approaches, you quickly see the results, feedback and correct. Here we also have a huge advantage over the standard education system when reform and an analysis of what happened, you have a lot of years.

We had a smooth transition from the strict control of training, scheduling, “we have” to more free training, more than what the child wants.

Of course, the structure of education largely depends on the requirements of the institution. And the sense to choose a school, the requirements of which the most match with your desired learning style. Well, the choice is increasing every year.

7. Fun learning, FUN, freedom to want or not to want to learn, not an excuse.

Perfect training – funny and interesting, FUN! By yourself noticed that the more I included, just kidding, free up the flow of imagination and not constrain the ideas, the easier, more fun, more interesting and more effective is training. Funny rap songs for multiplication tables, science – “portray an insect that is hiding in the bark of a tree in winter”, the study of English words with Minecraft … there are no limits of imagination. The more I tense up, because: “I have something to bring, because I have all the responsibility “ the worse the results are, and harder to go training.

But absolutely fine if the child one day want to learn, even if you jump and dance in front of him. And it's completely normal in another day, you will not want to be an animator. We all have different days, different mood, different performance. We are all human beings. And the child, if studying at home, don't have to want to always learn, even if you think you made a nice presentation.

But I and my child understand that to go for home schooling – to take on certain obligations as something to learn. So here, too, there is no single correct option. There is a method of trial and error. If you make love the math that you do like, there is a risk to form to her disgust. And it is possible unwittingly to captivate the child in English. And yet, Yes, homeschooled my child more loved to learn than in school.

8. 6-8 years – learning with parents, 8-9 years – independence, responsibility, effort, organization.

Responsibility, independence in learning, conscious effort in study, organization, in my experience, you can expect from the child not earlier than 8-9 years and 9-10. So, ideally, in 6-7-8 years of training should be as in the form of games. And conscious application of effort, discipline, all that teachers want to see from the first days of training, be introduced gradually in small doses.

Of course, all individually, there are different temperaments in children and tendency. Girls are more likely to sit quietly and write calligraphy letters, guys often are more receptive to information jumping, have the worst handwriting and don't have the patience. Average. Perhaps there is a 6-7-year-olds who are so conscious that you know how [pay for a term paper writing](#) to plan your training schedule, independently perform patiently tasks, even boring. But, the vast majority of children, the first 2-3-4 years necessarily need maximum involvement of parents in the educational process. Even if it is a full school with well-described tasks. And, with the overwhelming majority of children have to sit at discharge letters, inspiring the writing of the following

Responsibility, independence, self-discipline, my child (boy) started to show at 8-9 years old, 3rd grade. Already at that age, I can give some

tasks and go about his business knowing that he will do everything. So, the dream that the son will learn, gradually begins to take place.

9. Learn wherever's convenient for you.

About learning on the street. This is great, of course, spending a lot of time outside, and learn in the process of life. But it's best to do in the summer. But even when the heat is to write down on the street lyrics in a notebook is not very convenient. That is, not all activities are suitable for street. On the street is it turns out just to run, physical activity, quests, science, and topics. And teach math in the street is quite difficult. Not enough concentration. Everyone on the street is distracting and friends invited to his game;

10. A sense of security, living emotions.

This is very important. Training is effective when there is a sense of security. And when the child is safe with you, she trusts you can afford to show their true emotions. Cry; don't want to write;. Release and live some of his fears and worries, especially when there was some negative experience associated with learning (in the garden, school;). I learned a lot about the garden and about the school from his son during the home study, from what he previously told me not to; it is important to let those emotions be. To help them to live; this may be more important than any academic knowledge. Generally, emotional intelligence, the formation of the emotional sphere; this is very important.

By and large, it's all; to treat the child as a person. With the peculiarities of his personality, with desires, inclinations and emotions. Remembering that we are responsible loving adults who can provide the child with the best conditions and to be agents in the world knowledge, just in life.

To teach the child at home; is the perfect choice. Selection of new opportunities and the development of their child. Of course, it is not always easy, especially in the beginning. But over time it becomes easier and more interesting. Be clear benefits of home schooling. Encouraging the child's success in learning, understanding. Clearly shows development of personal and emotional. And we, those who teach their children at home themselves never to be the same as they were before.

And let it be the force is with us!

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