

Growing Kid's God's Way – This Week at Home

There is a direct relationship between doing the homework and success in applying the principles. You will need more than just a casual understanding of what you are about to learn. You may be asked to share some of your insights and discussions of the following questions.

Chapter 1 - How To Raise A Moral Child

1. a) Read Introduction, Teen Testimonies and Chapter 1 in your workbook.
b) Answer Questions for Review in your workbook.
c) Read Appendix 1 in your workbook.
2. Be prepared to share with the class how providing the moral or practical why of instruction helped your child with a right response.
3. If your child is characterized by asking why, note whether giving the moral or practical reason helps curb that behavior. Determine into which of the three categories your child's why questions fall (Curiosity, Comprehension, Challenge). Remember to support your moral reasons with scripture according to the child's level of understanding.
4. Choose at least 2 scripture verses from the "Moral Training List" to use with your children this week.
5. Supplementary Reading for BLENDED families: Read the Introduction and Chapter 1 of Blending Families By the Book by Lance and Susan St. Clair. (This book is the companion guide to Growing Kids God's Way for blended families)

Growing Kid's God's Way – Questions for Review **Chapter 1 - How To Raise A Moral Child**

1. What is the moral mandate of Scripture?
2. Explain the relationship between temperament, personality, and moral training.
3. With whom does moral training begin? Why?
4. What is the difference between knowing how to do right and knowing why it should be done?
5. Based on the illustration of Ryan running on the patio, explain what happens when parents fail to give a child the moral reason why.
6. What is one of the greatest skills to acquire in parenting? Explain your answer.