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Organization Strategies for Children

Most Critical in helping your child get organized is to organize your home life and your own life

- Use a Family calendar or organizer
- Use an analog clock/timer to set up work sessions for your child (15 minute)
- Create a homework survival kit
- Help your child set up a personalized study area
- Set up a daily homework time routine with NO distractions or excuses also set routines for (wake up and bedtimes, meals etc).
- Get your schedule and your child's schedule into proper balance

Homework Survival Kit (Basic Needs)

K-3	Grades 4-6	Grades 7-12
Crayons	Pencils	Assignment Book
Pencils	Pens	Pencils
Erasers	Erasers	Pens
Writing paper	Writing Paper	Writing Paper
Scissors	Scissors	Erasers
Glue or Paste	Markers	White Out
Tape	Pencil Sharpener	Markers
Construction Paper	Tape/Glue/Paste	Tape/Glue/Paste
Ruler	Index Cards	Index Cards

Some Books To Help With Organization

Homework Improvement: A Parent's Guide, by Roberta Schneiderman and Stephen Werby, Good Year Books, 1996.

How to Study, By R. Frey. The Career Press, 1991

Help – It's Homework Time, by Lee Canter, Canter and Associates, 1993

The Homework Organizer: Assignment Notebook Guide., by G. E. Mengel, Warner Books, 1991.