RESPECT

Story Cards

Cut out 7 blank cards, one for each letter in RESPECT. Help the child pick a word that starts with that particular letter. The word should be something they are going to work on in order to become more respectful.

Words like **RESPONSIBLE** or **RELAX** are good examples for **R**.

Discuss the respect issues that surround the child, and talk about some possible solutions. Come up with some words that start with the letter they are working on. Have the child write their word, the problem they're having using that word, and what they intend on doing to work on the problem using that word. Then after they make an effort to work on the problem, have them fill in what happened in regard to that word.

Have the child complete one card a week, or however often you feel they can commit to fulfilling a card. Have them do all 7 letters. The child can keep the card or you can hang them up on a bulletin board as the child completes them.

The card tells a little story. It shows the problem, a possible solution, and a result.

Hopefully...a positive one!!!

RESPECT Story Gard R = READY

The problem I'm having:

I'm not always organized. That makes me feel unhappy and angry. When I feel like that, I'm disrespectful to others. I'm going to be READY for class tomorrow.

What I did to be READY:

I went to bed when my Mom said I should. I didn't feel as tired when I woke up. When I got to school, I put my backpack away, got out my books, and made sure I was ready when the teacher asked us to sit down.

Here's what happened:

The teacher commented that it was nice to see that I was ready for class. That really made me feel good.