

A Parent Guide To Gifted Children Ebook

Grandparents, with their greater life experience, will often realize?Xeven before the parents?Xthat a child is gifted, and that the child will need additional emotional and intellectual sustenance. Grandparents Guide to Gifted Children includes: ?XEarly signs of giftedness ?XSpecial needs of gifted children ?XAreas of concern ?XUnique roles of grandparents ?XBuilding a bond with a grandchild ?XMaximizing grandparenting ?XEducation plans ?XWhen a grandparent is the parent ?XLeaving a personal legacy

Formerly titled Empowering Gifted Minds: Educational Advocacy That Works, this double award-winning book is the definitive manual on gifted advocacy for gifted students. The author tells parents and teachers how to document a child's abilities to provide reasonable educational options year by year. This book provides imperative information on testing considerations, curriculum, successful programs, and planning your child's education. It is truly an essential guide.

The clinical diagnosis of Asperger's can be intimidating for parents. Often the focus is on their child's "disabilities" rather than his "abilities," and parents may be left wondering what they should expect as their child journeys through life. This guide helps you take the first steps toward understanding how this developmental disorder may impact your child. This uncomplicated handbook introduces you to Asperger's and helps you to: Get a diagnosis and understand the results Identify triggers that can lead to sensory overload Recognize symptoms of meltdowns and work to prevent them Educate family and friends about Asperger's Discover support groups for themselves and their child Now revised and updated, this new edition includes information on educational concerns and social interactions. This is the only resource you need to help your child overcome the obstacles of Asperger's and find success--and happiness.

LEARN TO MEET THE NEEDS OF YOUR GIFTED CHILD Though academic abilities have always been important in determining whether your child is gifted, talent in the visual or performing arts, leadership qualities, and intellectual curiosity are just as vital. But unless we as parents help nurture those talents, our gifted children can become bored, socially aggressive, or, ironically, underachievers in the classroom. Here is a practical, informative, and authoritative primer for raising and educating our gifted children from pre-school to adolescence. Beginning with sensible strategies to determine whether--and in which areas--your child is gifted, this book takes parents through selecting an appropriate day-care center, a school, and a home reference library. It helps us figure out where our role stops and the school's role begins, as well as detailing ways to keep our children's creativity alive and how to cope with sibling rivalry and our own doubts and fears. Also included are a recommended reading list, a special section on the roles of the computer and television in your gifted child's life, and much more.

Een Hoog Sensitief Kind (HSK) is bedachtzamer en gevoeliger en raakt makkelijker overmand door heftige emoties dan het gemiddelde kind. Hoewel een HSK vaak creatief en slim is, krijgt het geregeld het label angstig, geremd en zenuwachtig te zijn. Om te voorkomen dat een HSK nog langer als 'probleemkind' wordt bestempeld, heeft Elaine N. Aron deze gids geschreven. Het Hoog Sensitieve Kind bevat naast zelftests, casestudies en adviezen: - vier manieren om je HSK succesvol op te voeden in een niet-sensitieve wereld - hoe kun je een HS peuter en kleuter het beste kalmeren - hoe kun je vriendschappen en (school)reizen plezierig maken - hoe moet je omgaan met verschillende leeftijdsgroepen HSK - hoe kun je het beste omgaan met slaapproblemen en emotionele uitbarstingen Bestsellerauteur en psychotherapeute Elaine N. Aron laat in dit baanbrekende boek zien hoe ouders en leraren het hoog sensitieve kind, vanaf de geboorte tot aan de puberteit, het beste kunnen begeleiden.

For parents of high-ability youth, anxiety can be the most difficult challenge to properly manage. Anxiety Solutions for Smart Kids: A Parent's Guide to Managing Stress and Anxiety in Gifted Children empowers parents to address the needs of their children with anxiety. This book: Is for parents of high-ability youth struggling with chronic stress and anxiety. Combines an evidence-based approach with accessible language. Covers the various types of anxiety, including academic anxiety, perfectionism, generalized anxiety, and social anxiety. Offers advice and tools to help parents recognize the symptoms of anxiety. Helps parents minimize anxiety's effects on their bright children. Techniques and suggestions included in the book are primarily rooted in Mindfulness-Based Stress Reduction and cognitive behavioral therapy, both of which have been empirically shown to benefit individuals suffering with chronic stress and anxiety.

"Drs. Susannah Wood and Jean Peterson have combined forces to move the field of school counseling forward in its work on behalf of gifted students... This subtle regularizing into appropriate school counseling practice is actually quite radical as it makes it clear that the time has passed to consider whether we should be concerned with the nature and needs of students with gifts and talents, but rather need to move to serving them as a requirement of our profession... And fortunately for all of us, the authors provide a clearly articulated roadmap for helping us live up to our professional responsibilities." --Tracy L. Cross, Ph.D. Created to fill a gap in both counselor education and gifted education, this is the only up-to-date text to provide a concise and practical overview of counseling services designed specifically for gifted and talented students. Grounded in the American School Counselor Association (ASCA) National Model for counseling programs, the book illuminates specific knowledge, awareness, and skills school counselors need to address concerns related not only to academics, but also to social and emotional development of this population. The text delivers a theoretical and practical overview of gifted and talented education in the United States and the responsibilities of school counselors as they pertain to this unique population. Going well beyond the common call to provide academic challenge, the book considers special characteristics of gifted and talented students as it examines the complexities of career development, college readiness, and concerns related to social and emotional development. It discusses how counselors can advocate for gifted students, lead efforts to match programming and needs, and collaborate with school staff and families. Vignettes depicting critical incidents and epitomizing needs are used to illuminate differentiated counseling approaches that support this student population. Each chapter highlights a key concept, and curriculum guidelines and resources for professional development support the text. KEY FEATURES: Interweaves school counseling and gifted education research and practice Considers characteristics and counseling concerns associated with giftedness Is based on the ASCA model for counseling programs Examines the complexities of career development, college readiness, and social/emotional development in this population Highlights key concepts and includes vignettes of critical incidents

Dr. Rimm provides practical, compassionate, no-nonsense advice for raising happy, secure, and productive children, from preschool to college. Easy-to-follow parent pointers, sample dialogues, and boxed step-by-step examples show parents how to: select appropriate rewards and punishments, decrease arguments and power struggles, encourage appropriate independence without overempowering your

children, guide your children toward good study habits, encourage creativity in your children, set limits for children, and much more.

Raising a gifted child is both a joy and a challenge, yet parents of gifted children have few resources for reliable parenting information. The four authors, who have decades of professional experience with gifted children and their families, provide practical guidance in areas such as: Characteristics of gifted children, Peer relations, Sibling issues, Motivation and underachievement, Discipline Issues, Intensity, perfectionism, and stress, Idealism, unhappiness, and depression, Educational planning, Parenting concerns, Finding professional help. Book jacket.

Education is an obsession for parents and children alike and parents will worry about anything to do with their children's schooling, from which school to choose and when their child should start to what they need to learn and how they'll cope in the playground. Schools are crying out for parents to become more involved in their children's education. A Parents' Guide to Primary School contains indispensable advice on: - Pre-school and choosing the right primary school - Getting ready for school and the first day - The curriculum, SATs, homework and the importance of parents' involvement in their children's learning - Discipline and bullying - Governors and the PTA - how to get involved - Parents' evenings and reports - Extracurricular activities - Special needs - Moving on - preparing for secondary school Advice, guidance, and solutions from a parent and teacher of children with autism.

Presents information and advice for parents on IQ testing, gifted children, gifted education, and giftedness combined with learning disabilities.

Provides answers and resources for questions about topics including legal requirements, use of public school facilities, and providing both a social and academic education while home schooling.

Raising a gifted child is both a joy and a challenge. Gifted and exceptional children can seem self-sufficient, but it takes more than intelligence to lead a happy and fulfilling life. Your child need your support and advocacy in school, in social situations, and even at home. This guide shows you how to encourage and foster your gifted child from birth to adolescence, including information on How to determine if your child is gifted Options for school programs and activities Dealing with perfectionism and stress Setting realistic and healthy goals for your child Ensuring proper socialization and friendship Coping with jealousy and bullying from other children Packed with useful and professional advice, this is a reassuring guide to help your gifted child grow, thrive, and develop his talents.

This book seeks to increase the awareness by parents, teachers, and clinicians of the often overlooked unique emotional needs of gifted children.

Picky Parent Guide: Choose Your Child's School with Confidence, the Elementary Years (K-6), is the definitive action manual and reference guide for parents of school-age children. It is the first complete, high quality book that combines: 1. A thorough discussion of child and family needs in schools. 2. Research based guidance on school quality, regardless of school type. 3. A complete toolkit to organize the choice process for parents. Picky Parent Guide contains 22 Confident Choice Tools, checklists, and tables that organize and simplify the whole process. Readers can create customized lists of questions to ask principals, teachers and other parents when visiting schools based on their own unique child and family needs. The authors, nationally recognized school choice experts and parents of school-age children, Bryan C. Hassel, Ph.D. and Emily Ayscue Hassel have advised leaders from the school house to the White House. Here they help you get what your child deserves from school.

The Parent's Guide to Solving School Problems About The Book: The Parent's Guide to Solving School Problems is a comprehensive guide to effectively dealing with the most commonly experienced school problems. Written by Dr. Don Fontenelle, a nationally recognized psychologist with over 25 years of experience in working with children and adolescents with all types of problems, this book serves as an invaluable resource for parents of children and adolescents. Every conceivable problem is covered from learning disorders such as dyslexia and mathematics disorder to emotional problems such as anxiety, depression, and others, to anger and violence and other behavioral problems. This book provides a thorough and comprehensive guide for dealing with the most common school problems any child can experience. Must reading for any parent who has children that are still in school. About The Author: Dr. Don Fontenelle received his Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology from Oklahoma State University. He is in private practice in Metairie, Louisiana. Dr Fontenelle has spent most of his career helping children and their parents. His workshops for teachers and parents on Child/Adolescent Behavior and for parents are widely praised for the positive results experienced by participants. Dr. Fontenelle has authored 13 books on children/adolescents for parents and teachers some of who have been translated into French, Spanish, Portuguese, and Arabic.

The fear of being judged by others in social activities is a common human experience, especially during childhood. But when the fear becomes all-consuming, it can disrupt daily functioning and the development of social competency. Raising the Shy Child: A Parent's Guide to Social Anxiety takes a fresh look at social anxiety disorder, coupling the latest in research trends with evidence-based strategies and real-world stories to untangle the complexities of this disorder. Presented in an easy-to-read, conversational style, the book uses a combination of real-world examples and stories from adults and children with social anxiety disorder to show parents and educators how to help children find a path through their fear and into social competence. With specific strategies to address school refusal, bullying, and identity issues, Raising the Shy Child is a must-read resource for anyone dedicated to enhancing the lives of children.

In dit boeiende, langverwachte eerste deel van zijn presidentiële memoires vertelt Barack Obama het verhaal van zijn onwaarschijnlijke odyssee van een jongeman die op zoek is naar zijn identiteit tot de leider van de vrije wereld. Hij schrijft in buitengewoon persoonlijke bewoordingen over de jaren waarin hij politiek werd gevormd en over de bepalende momenten in de eerste termijn van zijn historische presidentschap - een roerige periode vol dramatische veranderingen. Obama neemt de lezer aan de hand op een fascinerende reis, die voert van zijn eerste politieke aspiraties en de cruciale overwinning in de voorverkiezingen van Iowa - waarin de kracht van grassroots-activisme aan het licht kwam - tot de revolutionaire avond van 4 november 2008, toen hij werd gekozen tot 44ste president van de Verenigde Staten en daarmee de eerste Afro-Amerikaan werd die het hoogste ambt in het land zou bekleden. In zijn bespiegelingen over het presidentschap toont hij op een bijzondere en scherpzinnige wijze welke mogelijkheden en beperkingen presidentiële macht met zich meebrengt, en daarnaast biedt hij ons een uniek inzicht in de dynamiek van de Amerikaanse partijpolitiek en de internationale diplomatie. Obama neemt de lezer mee tot in het Oval Office en de Situation Room van het Witte Huis, maar ook naar steden als Moskou, Caïro en Peking. We zijn getuige van zijn overwegingen bij het samenstellen van zijn kabinet, hoe hij worstelt met een mondiale financiële crisis, Vladimir Poetin inschat, schijnbaar onoverbrugbare conflicten beteugelt om zijn wet op de gezondheidszorg te verwezenlijken, botst met zijn generaals over de te volgen strategie in Afghanistan, hervormingen op Wall Street doorvoert, doortastend optreedt na de ramp met de Deepwater Horizon en opdracht geeft tot Operatie Neptune's Spear, die leidt tot de dood van Osama bin Laden. Een beloofd land is een bijzonder intiem en persoonlijk boek - het verhaal over een man die historische beslissingen neemt, over het rotsvaste geloof van de opbouwwerker die op de proef wordt gesteld op het wereldpodium. Obama is openhartig over de moeilijkheden die hij ondervond toen hij als zwarte Amerikaan president wilde worden, waarbij hij de verwachtingen verpersoonlijkte van een generatie die werd geïnspireerd door de boodschap van hoop en verandering en de morele problemen trotseerde die besluitvorming op het hoogste niveau met zich meebrengt. Obama is openhartig over de krachten die hem in eigen land en elders tegenwerkten, eerlijk over de invloed die het verblijf in het Witte Huis had op zijn vrouw en kinderen. Daarnaast is hij niet terughoudend in het delen van zijn onzekerheden en teleurstellingen. Toch wijkt hij nooit af van zijn overtuiging dat binnen het geweldige, zich voortdurend ontwikkelende Amerikaanse experiment vooruitgang altijd mogelijk is. Dit fraai geschreven en krachtige boek getuigt van Barack Obama's inzicht dat democratie geen geschenk van boven is, maar iets dat is gestoeld op inlevingsvermogen en wederzijds begrip, iets waaraan we samen voortbouwen, elke dag weer.

This manual provides the essential information for persons wishing to conduct SENG Model parent support groups for parents of gifted children. Each week, parents in the group read a chapter of A Parent's Guide to Gifted Children, and then discuss the concepts in the chapter, led by the group facilitator. Parents support one another in practicing new techniques at home. Who should receive SENG training? Persons with some knowledge of gifted children who want to facilitate parent groups in an encouraging, non-confrontational style. This might include: coordinators of gifted programs; teachers; counselors; experienced parents; social workers; and/or psychologists.

Uitwerking voor de praktijk van een nieuw managementconcept.

A well-written, compelling, meticulously researched resource for parents everywhere. A wonderfully comprehensive guide for parents providing advice on every aspect of their child's education; from choosing a suitable school, to communicating with teachers, through to dealing with the trauma of homework. Practical and accessible, this book really does tell parents everything they need to know to help their children succeed at school.

Dealing with defiant children can be frustrating, time-consuming, and emotionally exhausting for parents and kids alike. But with this practical, reassuring handbook, you no longer have to feel helpless. You'll learn how to defuse the negativity, hostility, antagonism, and explosive anger that can ruin your child's relationships with family, friends, teachers, and other authority figures. This book helps you to: Choose which battles to fight Follow thorough Be consistent Communicate clear expectations and consequences (without yelling) Give your child some power over his life Reinforce positive changes Most important, you'll learn why defiance happens and how to react when it does. You will adopt the parenting and anger-management skills you need to make a real difference in your child's life. You'll help your child control his emotions--and grow up to be healthy, well-rounded adult.

Special Education is a complex maze to navigate which lasts from birth to high school graduation. It prepares the disabled child for adult life. This book is designed to help you navigate this maze.

It is our hope that as you read Children Are Gifts, you will discover the uniqueness and giftedness of the personality of each of your children and that you will love them in a new way. Florence Littauer, Author of the Million + selling book Personality Plus Marita Littauer, Author of Wired That Way Children Are Gifts is a remarkable book, written skillfully with a mix of professional expertise and practical wisdom coming from her long and vast daily life experiences. I found this book to be a must have guide for parents Carmen Esposito, Educator Professional Counselor The book will help you discover your child's unique gifts and abilities, and experience the joy; clear up the question, Why does my child act the way he/she does? emphasize the importance of positive communication when talking to your child; present strategies on how to discipline with love, without threats and bribes; provide methods and tools with abundant activities that are fun for All Ages. You have received a gift! Embrace the thought and enjoy the journey!

Gifted Innocence is the second book written by author Sydney Sherman. With this book and a companion book for children, Ms Sherman continues to promote a common-sense understanding of the afterlife and of contact with the spirits around us. Gifted Innocence is designed to help parents identify and guide a child gifted with paranormal abilities ? with sensitivity to the spirits of those who have passed. The author walks parents through the best ways to assist their child in handling their ability in a world that often makes any uncommon trait a burden for children. From her first recognition of another child with the same gift to her anxiety in everyday situations, Ms. Sherman recounts stories of her childhood into adulthood to shed light on the special challenges of this gift. The author focuses in on age-specific suggestions to help parents recognize simple behaviors or events which may help them understand and identify their child's needs better. Knowing that most parents are not knowledgeable about the subject of the paranormal, Ms. Sherman felt a need to reach out and offer her help in simple, straightforward terms. This book is a must read for any parent or grandparent and the first of its kind to talk openly to parents on a one to one basis about the role they will play in the expression of their child's gift.

In het onderwijs ligt de focus terecht niet meer op kennisoverdracht alleen. De maatschappij vraagt van onze kinderen onder meer dat ze eigen verantwoordelijkheid nemen, probleemoplossend kunnen denken en goed kunnen samenwerken. Schoolprogramma's zijn daar niet altijd voldoende op toegerust. The Leader in Me is een procesaanpak die staf, leerlingen en ouders betreft bij het ontwikkelen van de vaardigheden die kinderen in de eenentwintigste eeuw nodig hebben. De aanpak is gebaseerd op de zeven eigenschappen van effectief leiderschap en wordt succesvol toegepast in landen over de hele wereld, ook in de Lage Landen. De zeven eigenschappen (gewoonten) van effectief leiderschap: 1 Wees proactief 2 Begin met het einde voor ogen 3 Belangrijke zaken eerst 4 Denk win-win 5 Eerst begrijpen, dan begrepen worden 6 Synergie 7 Houd de zaag scherp Stephen R. Covey was een internationaal vermaarde leiderschapsautoriteit, adviseur en leraar. Zijn bestseller De zeven eigenschappen van effectief leiderschap werd uitgeroepen tot het meest invloedrijke leiderschapsboek van de twintigste eeuw, met meer dan 25 miljoen verkochte exemplaren in 38 talen. Zijn zoon Sean Covey is executive vice president van FranklinCovey en leidt de divisie Education van het bedrijf. David K. Hatch is daar global director of strategic initiatives. Muriel Summers is sinds 1998 directrice van A.B. Combs in Raleigh, North Carolina. Ze heeft de eerste op leiderschap gebaseerde basisschool in de Verenigde Staten opgezet.

Gifted teenagers require special understanding in order to thrive. Learn how to understand your adolescent's intensity and excitability, how to nurture creativity and self-directed learning, how to offer support without taking control, and how to care for yourself as the parent of an intense and creative teen. This book helps parents to view the challenging years of middle school and high school not merely as college prep, but as a preparation for life.

Raising a girl in today's world is more complicated than ever. How do you help your daughter navigate through her world of school cliques, confusing media messages, and pressures to be a "good girl"? Newly revised and updated, this guide gives you smart and comprehensive advice on the trials and triumphs of raising a daughter. Parenting expert Dr. Erika Shearin Karres prepares you for every stage, including: Handling tantrums, bad moods, and potty training Dealing with cliques, bullies, and peer pressure Coping with puberty and menstruation Keeping up with texting, social media, and online relationships Addressing the issues of drinking, smoking, drugs, and sex Enforcing rules and discipline Dr. Karres shows you how to raise your girl with ease, skill, and confidence even in today's challenging world!

Presents practical information for raising and educating a gifted child under five

Raise a happy, healthy gifted child--practical tools and advice for parents Whether you've known for years your child is gifted or you're just discovering it, it's key to get practical guidance for dealing with the everyday intensity, sensitivities, and perfectionism that come with giftedness. Raising Gifted Children is filled with essential advice and strategies to help you better understand your gifted child's emotions and behavior--so your whole family can thrive together. Begin with a brief foundational overview of giftedness and discover practical ways to support gifted children in their development at home and in school, including insights on how to recognize when your behaviors are influencing your child. Then take a deep dive into topics surrounding your child's daily life, like procrastination, motivation, conflict resolution, friendships, and schooling. Raising Gifted Children includes: Understanding giftedness--Learn what defines giftedness and its characteristics, and expand on your knowledge with info about twice- and multi-exceptionality, gifted learner profiles, and more. Parenting tools--Get specific parenting advice for gifted families, including how to channel emotional intensity, communicate effectively, and find calm. Schooling strategies--Explore advice for choosing the right school for your child, tips for successful teacher meetings, suggestions on how to create an educational plan, and beyond. The essential guidance in this book will help you be the best parent you can be to your gifted child.

Racing heart. Nausea. Trembling. These are just the physical symptoms of anxiety. Add to that panic, paralyzing fear, and self-doubt and a child is consumed with worry. With the proper care and treatment, a child with anxiety disorders can thrive. This book presents a balanced approach to treatment—from traditional to non-traditional drug and behavioral therapies to relaxation tricks and meditation. Additionally, this helpful guide helps parents determine the causes of their child's anxiety, decide whether medical treatment is necessary, talk with their children about anxiety, find the right counselor, and consult with teachers and school officials. With this guide, parents will have all the resources, tools, and information they need to help their child enjoy a happy, healthy, and well-adjusted childhood!

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