

TURNING CLASSROOM LESSONS into Real Life Wins



FOR FAMILIES

The skills your child learns in the classroom can create real-life success at home and in the community.
Small steps today. Big wins for tomorrow.



HOW TO MAKE THE CONNECTION



KNOW THE SKILL

Understand what your child is learning and why it matters.



MAKE IT RELEVANT

Find everyday opportunities to use the skill.



PRACTICE TOGETHER

Model, guide, and celebrate progress as a team.



CELEBRATE WINS

Praise effort and progress—every step counts!



BE PATIENT

Growth takes time. Consistency builds confidence.

CLASSROOM SKILLS → REAL LIFE WINS

CLASSROOM SKILL	REAL LIFE EXAMPLE	REAL LIFE WIN
 Communication	Taking turns in conversation	Stronger relationships and confident interactions 
 Writing	Making a grocery list or writing a note	Independence and practical life skills 
 Math	Counting money or measuring ingredients	Confidence with numbers and daily tasks 
 Time Management	Following a morning or bedtime routine	Better organization and less stress 
 Problem Solving	Figuring out how to fix a problem or make a plan	Resilience and independent thinking 
 Social-Emotional Learning	Managing feelings and showing kindness	Emotional regulation and empathy 

TIPS FOR FAMILIES

- ☐ Talk with teachers about what your child is learning.
- ☐ Look for everyday moments to practice.
- ☐ Use visual reminders and routines.
- ☐ Celebrate effort, not just results.
- ☐ Keep it positive, patient, and fun!



REMEMBER



When school and home work together, children thrive in every area of life.

You've got this!



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