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Tomorrow, May 1st is a
Pro-D Day:
Teachers, EAs and CCW will not be
available for online learning.



Upcoming Dates in May:

Fri, May 1 st	Pro-D day No Online learning
Sun, May 10 th	Mother's Day
Mon, May 18 th	Victoria Day No Online Learning
Mon, May 25 th	Pro-D Day No Online Learning



April 24th – May 23rd, 2020

The ABC's of Helping Your Child

- A **Accept** your child unconditionally.
 - B **Believe** in your child. Trust in his or her ability.
 - C **Communicate** with your child. Share Ideas.
 - D **Discuss** things with your child.
 - E **Enjoy** your child! When parents enjoy their children, children enjoy their parents.
 - F **Find things of interest to do together.**
 - G **Give** your child responsibility which can be handled.
 - H **Help** your child with works of encouragement
 - I Impress upon your child the vision of what is all around.
 - J **Join** your child in fun activities.
 - K **Keep** from over-identifying with your child. Don't try to live your life again through your child.
 - L **Listen** to your child. He or she needs someone to share thoughts and ideas.
 - M **Model** behavior you want to see in your child.
 - N **Name** things for your child. Labels are important.
 - O **Observe** the way your child goes about tasks. Provide help when needed.
 - P **Pace** your child. Help your child to do one thing at a time and do it well.
 - Q **Question** your child using words such as who, where and when. Ask about stories or everyday things that happen.
 - R **Read** to your child everyday.
 - S **Spend** time with your child
 - T **Take** your child to the library regularly.
 - U **Understand** that learning isn't always easy. Sometimes we all fail. We can learn from mistakes.
 - V **Value** your child's school and teachers. Your attitude will be mirrored in your child.
 - W Write with your child. Encourage them to write; even scribbles are important.
 - X **X** is often an unknown quantity. What else would you like to add to this list?
 - Y **You** are your child's most important teacher.
 - Z **Zip** it all up with love. Love gives zest to life.
- Dr. Carole L. Riggs and the International Reading Association.