

Preschool Parent-Teacher Conferences

Conferences between parents and teachers are an important element of early childhood education. At the preschool level, the parent-teacher conference is a critical time for teachers to truly collaborate with parents. The parent-teacher conference provides an opportunity for parents to ensure their child is receiving the proper foundation for developmental growth. It allows the teacher to update the parents on how the child is doing the areas of social, physical, emotional and educational development.

Parent-teacher conferences also provide an opportunity for parents to ask any questions they may have about their child or the preschool program.

12 great questions to ask the teacher

1. Is my child's development on track for his age?
2. Is there anything we can do at home to reinforce the skills that you're working on in the classroom?
3. What are my child's strengths and weaknesses?
4. What can we do to help develop our child's weak areas?
5. What are my child's academic talents?
6. What is he like in class?
7. What is my child's learning style?
8. How does my child interact with the other kids?
9. How is achievement measured in your classroom? How will my child be evaluated?
10. Is there anything that I can share with you about my child and what he's like at home?
12. What skills will my child be expected to master this year?
13. Does my child participate in group activities?