Behavior ふるまい・行動

1 TOPIC QUESTION

Who is responsible for teaching good manners to children? Parents or the school?

子供によいマナーを教える責任があるのは誰でしょうか。親、それとも学校?

Directions: Read the following article aloud. 課題:以下の記事をはっきりとした声で音読しましょう。



Behaviour

Parents must lead since the family is the foundation of every child. Your young one does not possess the skills or self-discipline to guide themselves. It is your responsibility to give them proper behaviour guidance as surely as it is your responsibility to feed and nurture them. You are not "the bad guy" by establishing a few basic ground rules that are non-negotiable. You may have to explain this a few times to other members of your family who might have a tendency to go against what you've established as a positive set of guidelines.

Remember, you are your child's leader. You are their advocate in this world. That means you have to develop a "take charge" mentality when it comes to your child's behavioural development. Without you to lead, they will be left to stumble around with what seems to work for them, which could mean problems with their social and interpersonal skills over time.

Although parents have the responsibility of teaching good manners to the children, the school has the secondary responsibility. As the children grow they spend more time in school. It is often said that teachers are the second parents of the students, and that the school is their second home.

3 VOCABULARY

Directions: First repeat after your tutor and then read aloud by yourself. 課題: 先生の後に続いてくり返した後、今度はひとりで発音してみましょう。

foundation	基礎	possess	所有する
nurture	養育する	non-negotiable	交渉のできない
established	確立した	advocate	代弁者
stumble	つまづく	interpersonal	対人関係の

4 Questions

Directions: Read the questions aloud and answer them. 課題: 質問を声に出して読んだ後、答えてみましょう。

- 1. What is the foundation of a child?
- 2. What are the responsibilities of parents to their children?
- 3. Who is considered as the second family of the children especially when they are growing up? Why?
- 4. Do you agree that the school has the responsibility to teach the children manners? Why? Why not?