

Our Family:

House Rules

“And how from infancy you have known the holy Scriptures, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus. All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.”

2 Timothy 3:15-17

This worksheet is designed to help you create an environment of respect for your home using the God's Word and standards to guide you.

Household Rules Chart

Rules	Discipline	Motivator	Scripture
Respect Dad & Mom <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Way you talk • Obey right away, all the way • Attitude 			Exodus 20:12 "Honor your father and your mother, so that you may live long in the land the LORD your God is giving you" Col 3:20 "Children obey your parents in the Lord for this is right"
Clean Up After Yourself <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you make a mess, clean it up. 			1 Corinthians 4:2 Moreover it is required in stewards that one be found faithful.
Food Rules <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FOOD at kitchen table ONLY 			Col 3:20 "Children obey your parents in the Lord for this is right"
Attitude: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arguing or Complaining with siblings 			Phil 2:14-15 14 "Do everything without complaining or arguing, so that you may become blameless and pure, children of God without fault in a crooked and depraved generation, in which you shine like stars in the universe" 1 Thess 5:18 "give thanks in all circumstances, for this is God's will for you in Christ Jesus"
Bed Time Rules <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Complain about who puts you to bed • Get out of bed 			Prov 17:22 "A cheerful heart is good medicine but a crushed spirit dries up the bones"
Restaurant/Dinner Rules <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use Manners • Be respectful of others • Inside voices • Ask to be excused 			Prov 15:1 "A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger" Eph 4:29 "Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen"
School Rules: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No Chair Tipping • Good Attitude • Ask to be excused 			Romans 12:21 "Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good." Eph 4:2-3 "Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace"

Specific Offense Discipline Chart

Hitting/Being Mean			<p>Eph 4:32 "Be kind and compassionate to one another, forgiving each other, just as in Christ God forgave you"</p> <p>Prov 11:17 "A kind man benefits himself, but a cruel man brings trouble on himself"</p>
Lying			<p>Ps 34:13 "Keep your tongue from evil ad your lips from speaking lies"</p> <p>Prov 12:22 "The LORD detests lying lips, but he delights in men who are truthful"</p>
Unkind Words/Language			<p>Prov 15:1 "A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger"</p> <p>Eph 4:29 "Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen"</p>
Sibling Conflict			<p>Matt 5:9 "Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called sons of God"</p> <p>Romans 12:21 "Do not be overcome by evil, but overcome evil with good."</p> <p>Eph 4:2-3 "Be completely humble and gentle; be patient, bearing with one another in love. Make every effort to keep the unity of the Spirit through the bond of peace"</p>