

TIPS FOR TALKING TO PARENTS

1. Pick a time when you know parents are not busy and can talk.
2. Stay cool. Talking calmly will make parents more likely to hear you out.
3. Don't blame. Instead talk about how you're feeling.
4. Know what you want to say. Write it out first, if it helps.
5. Offer suggestions for solving the problem or getting what you want.
6. Listen to their side and be willing to compromise.