

The 10 Most Important Things to Teach Your Child by the End of High School

Acrostic of the words: 'HIGH SCHOOL'

Honor God's Word-by watching, listening & thinking about it every day - BIBLE
(Reading is the **least effective** way to learn. Faith comes by **hearing**.)
The Visual Bible is free on www.YouTube.com: Matthew (26 segments),
John (19 segments) & Acts (20 segments) & the entire Jesus Film- Luke (2 hrs.)

Imagine greatness - read or watch biographies of godly role models - HISTORY
For an eye-opening view of U.S. History-David Barton www.wallbuilders.com
Do a personal timeline of your life (maybe even write your own obit!). Dream!

Grow in knowledge - find answers about life & living - SCIENCE/TECHNOLOGY
Ask questions, visit the Creation Museum in KY www.AnswersinGenesis.org

Honor others - learn to daily ask yourself 'who can I help today?' - RELATIONSHIPS
<http://nogreaterjoy.org/family> www.marriagetoday.com Pray for relatives daily.

Save 10%, give 10% & pay at least 1 family monthly bill - ECONOMICS/MATH
For math, buy 'A.C.T. for Dummies' & do all the tests until you master them!
The ACT & SAT tests are the 'litmus tests' for college entrance & scholarships.
DEBT stands for 'Doing Everything But Tithing' www.daveramsey.com

Control your emotions - practice courtesy & caution - DRIVER'S ED. course available at:
www.hslda.org (driving can reveal how developed your 'fruit of the spirit' is)
Adults who are led by their emotions cannot be victorious in **any** area of life.

Heal & discipline your body to do daily household chores - EXERCISE/HEALTH
& adopt **Heathly Habits** - Practice cooking a healthy meal for your family weekly.
Subscribe to & read a weekly Health Newsletter, like www.mercola.com

Obey authority - be informed, visit, know & pray for your officials - GOVERNMENT
join a cause, like www.frc.org or www.theoakinitiative.org/

Organize & label all the family photos & memorabilia chronologically! - ENGLISH
WRITE about events, enter contests, take pictures & do your own yearbook!

Learn contentment by creatively expressing yourself to God - WORSHIP
(This goes beyond just music & art...it's whatever-in excellence-you create or do.)