

Recognition

1. Appreciate gifted learners as children.

2. Recognize how your child has unique personal and instructional needs.

Enrichment

- 1. Enjoy music, plays, art, sports, museums with your child, . . . follow their interests and leads.
- 2. Nurture your child's gifts and interests.

3. Model life-long learning.

Social Emotional

- 1. Discuss the positive outcomes of their strong emotion intensities
- 2. Assure your child that being different is okay.

3. Understand the uneven development of your gifted child.

4. Be an active listener and elicit your children's perceptions to help deal with their feelings.

What do you think we can do? How do you feel about it? Why do you think that happened?

5. Develop a feeling vocabulary

Twice Exceptional

- 1. Understanding your child's unique needs can open a door to success.
- 2. Focus on your child's strengths.

Parent Support

1. Interact with families with gifted children.

Kingore, B. (2008). 20 Tips for Nurturing Gifted Children. Gifted Education Communicator, 39 (2), 29-31.

Supporting your child by working with his/her classroom teacher

Build a positive relationship between your child, you and the classroom teacher to help meet your child's learning needs.

Communicate with your child's classroom teacher.

Find out how your child is doing in class and share what you know about your child.

Work with the classroom teacher to identify possible ways to support your child at school and at home.