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Presents



Raising Successful Children Reference Guide & Workbook

WEEK 9 – Accountability



Reference Guide

Every week you'll find a detailed outline of each week's topic.



Homework

These simple tasks will further your education. Extra advice for a real world application of the material will be at the end of each outline.



Expert's Corner

Beginning in week 2, for those who are interested in pursuing dance professionally, pay special attention to this segment. These sections will outline the ways you can take the information in that particular week and apply it to your career.



Life Lessons

For those who may not want to pursue dance professionally, or are simply on the fence with their future, check out this section. This will help point you in the right direction of how to use the information you learned that week and apply it to your everyday life.



Notes

A space for your notes has been provided throughout the workbook. This is for you to jot down your notes, thoughts and "aha" moments. Writing your thoughts down is still proven to be the most effective method of learning and retention.



Value of Accountability

Code of Ethics

- Integrity
- Honesty
- Trust



Higher performance

- Initiative
- Execution
- Follow-through



Champion of Character

- Self-respect
- Achievement
- Leadership





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Reframe Your Thinking

Unfocused Mind

- Excuses
- Procrastination
- Distraction
- Internal permission



Results

- Missed opportunities
- Guilt/regret
- Loss of value
- Believing your excuse



Daily Practice

- Accept responsibility
- Embrace challenge
- Stay motivated





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Advance Your Life

Personal Performance

- Evaluate objectivity
- Prioritize
- Improve productivity
- Measure quality



Build Leadership Qualities

- Goal oriented
- Open communication
- Dependable
- Authenticity



Reputation Matters

- Respect
- Trustworthy
- Promotion
- Future Jobs





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Expert's Corner

Accountability and its effect on a dancer's reputation are important points to understand. Dance is a business at the end of the day. To go further than that, your dancer is their own business and should act like such on all auditions and jobs. That includes being professional at all times, showing up on time, having a keen marketing sense of their own skills, and creating a brand or a style that is unique and draws "customers" (aka choreographers).

This kind of professionalism will be noticed, and is the most important base for a successful career in this industry. Remember, everyone knows each other in the dance world...what do you want your reputation to be?



Life Lessons

Accountability is the staple of leadership and success in any industry, not just dance. This quality is what will lead to promotions, being recognized at work or school, and will foster respect with everyone you interact with. Make sure you treat everyone with the same respect that you expect, and you'll find it will be reciprocated and lead to new opportunities closed to those who don't hold themselves accountable.



Week 9 – Homework

This week's homework:

Step 1: Have a conversation with your child about accountability, and what changes can be made by both you and your child to enhance your life and their dance career.

Step 2: Reach out to your studio owner and give an honest testimonial about your experience so far with Raising Successful Children.

Step 3: Let us know how the conversation went by emailing us at support@success.dance