

5 ways to support your child as an IB PYP parent

As an essential member of your child's learning community, you play an important role helping them take their learning deeper. Here are 5 simple ways you can support your child's learning at home. Whether it is the more formal learning connected to their schooling, or the incidental, unplanned learning through play, exploration and life experience, these 5 strategies will help you, help your child become a life long learner. (International Baccalaureate Organization 2020)

- Take an inquiry Stance
- Support Conceptual understanding
- Prioritize reflection
- Support your child's agency
- Give feedback that goes beyond the moment

This week, let's look at take an inquiry stance:

Meet a question with a question – How could you find that out?

Be prepared to inquire together – Let's figure it out together!

Ask an open-ended question – what do you notice?

Be a learner – Here is how I'm going to find out

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