Positive Guidance is the Key!
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Positive Guidance

• Children often misbehave for attention

• A few terms to remember:
  * consistency
  * discipline
  * example
  * self-discipline
Positive Statements

• Clearly state what is expected; it helps the child to get started.

• Phrase all requests in a positive manner.
Redirection

Redirection gets the child to focus on something else.
Limited Choices

• Do not give a child unlimited choices.

• Only give choices that are available.

• or
Time Out

• Should be a place with no distractions.

• Should be a last option with limited use.

• Should help eliminate yelling/screaming on part of parents.
Resources

Website:

• Child Development Institute
  Useful information on positive parenting guidance.
• http://www.childdevelopmentinfo.com/parenting/