

Counselor's Corner



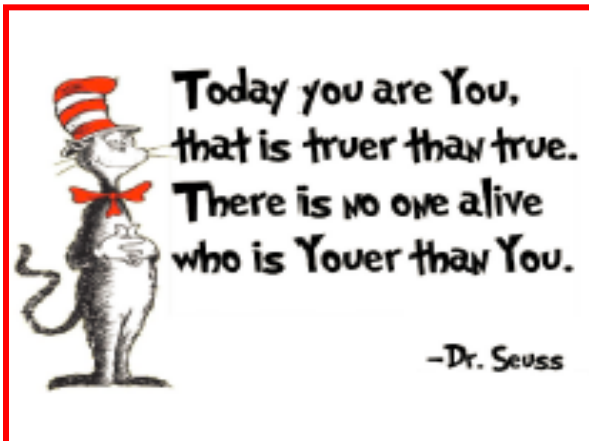
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Individuality-It's what makes us unique!

Tips for School Success



There are so many ways that you can encourage your child to be unique and different. What makes you unique should be celebrated!

- **Work together with your child to create a plan to complete weekly assignments.**
- **Use your resources! Encourage your child to attend class time for collaborative learning.**
- **Set aside a designated area for completing school work and be sure to keep all your work in one place.**

Dr. Seuss has been known to make up words and amazing characters in his stories. Sometimes these imaginative characters and phrases are just what is needed to spark the imagination of your child. Adults and children alike can relate to the unique traits and rhyming descriptions Dr. Seuss uses. Why can't you and your child be unique just like the characters in his book?

1. Always be your child's biggest fan! Be sure to encourage and praise your child for being an individual.

2. Don't pass judgement. Your child's art project may not look like the example, but that is what makes their artwork even better than the model! With your positive words, your child will be comfortable trying new things and exploring their interests!

3. Act it out! When reading a story together, don't be shy to make the story your own! Change the tone of your voice, use gestures, and act out the story.

4. Use different props when talking or playing with your child. You will be amazed at how much fun you will have and it will bring out the performer in your child.

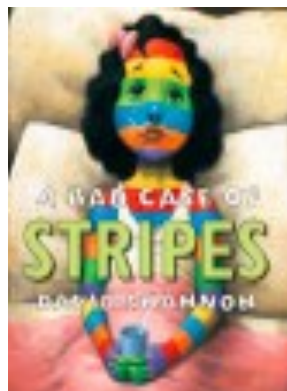
5. Don't be afraid to try something new! You and your child might find a new interest. Then give them the opportunities to learn and explore more.

6. Embrace what makes YOU unique. Your child is always watching!



Helpful Links

Suggested Literature



[5 Ways to Encourage Your](#)

[10 Books That Encourage Uniqueness](#)



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