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TIPS FOR BILINGUAL FAMILIES

6 FAMILY FRIENDLY TIPS FOR RAISING BILINGUAL KIDS

The first step when deciding to raise your kids bilingual is to make sure that you have a family agreement. Both parents need to agree on the languages that will be used and how they will be used to ensure success.



Explain the importance of the heritage language in your home.



Introduce culture in your life: plays, festivals, food, holidays, travel, etc.



Make a plan and stick to it. Review your plan yearly.



Talk with grandparents/family who speak the target language as much as possible (ex. Skype, FaceTime, messaging).



Have resources available in the heritage language: books, music, TV shows, movies. Set your electronic tablet's language (ex. iPad) to the target language.



Introduce new vocabulary in the target language by having a word of the week.



Be patient! It will be worth it!

