

PROBEMJAL

Learning without borders

The importance of parenting on migrant families

Your children need you!

Raising is a Job for two

Don't just drop off all of the work to your spouse, it does not matter whether your role is that of the mother or the father, both contribute half and half in child raising. Your kids don't need only one of you, they need you both.

Do not try to buy your kid's love

It is easy to think that if you buy your kids lots of gifts, that they are going to love you more even if you do not spend much time with them, but this is not true. This can cause your children to become spoiled, affecting their social skills and the ability to become independent later on. Maybe they appear to be happy at first glance, but in truth there is nothing that you can buy, that is as valuable than the time that you spend together with them.

It is not too late

Even if you did not had the opportunity to connect much with your kids when they were growing up, it does not mean it is too late to try. Even if your kids are currently teenagers and attending highschool, you can prove to them that you understand the mistakes that you had done in the past and that you want to make things right, it can take some effort at first, but the first step is to tell them that you are going to be there for them from now on and do not going to back to your word.

Keep in touch in any way you can

Even if by phone call, text messages, email, or video call, they are many ways in which you can keep in touch with your kids, its understandable if you can not be present all of the time for them, but you can use these tools to prove to your kids that one way or another, you will always be there for them.

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