

Parenting per the Prophet ﷺ

Parenting reminders

- Lead with compassion
- Build my child's strengths
- Model the behaviour I wish to see

Key Takeaways

- **Children do not listen - they watch** - We tell them to pray but they notice when you pray and how you pray and when you don't - They hear the words - but follow the pattern
- You tell them not to lie but they hear how you bend the truth - **Children do not absorb lectures - they absorb habits**
- They observe whether you react or respond - in a crisis, **did you panic or pray?** Let them see mercy in how you speak when angry, in how you apologise and forgive.
- **Advice only works when our character speaks first.** Your home is their first Madrasah, your behaviour is their first Tafseer - **They learn Allah through how you represent Him.**