

Transition Tweens to Teens
WRPC Winter J-Term 2017
Week #1: Anticipating & Posturing

Course Overview

Week I: Anticipating & Posturing Yourself for Seismic Changes: Hormones and the Rest

Week II: Preparing for Friends, Special Friends, Scary Temptations

Week III: Policies & Policing with Technology & Social Media

Week IV: Keeping the End Game in Mind

Introduction

I. Anticipation

A. Hormonal Changes

B. Physical Changes

C. Emotional Changes

D. Intellectual Changes

E. Environmental Changes

F. Relational Changes

G. Risk Changes

H. Cost Changes

II. Posturing Yourself and Your Children for Seismic Changes

A. Accept and Celebrate

B. Give Direction

C. Have Sympathy

D. Preserve Dignity

E. Die to Self

F. Establish Agreement

G. Enjoy

III. Priorities to Keep

A. Prayer

B. Standards

C. Involvement

D. Training

E. Community

F. Direction

G. Perseverance

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Week #2: Preparing for Friends, Special Friends, and
Scary Temptations

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Review

I. General Expectations for Being Relational

II. Friends

A. How Kids Make Friends

B. Good Friends

C. Bad Friends

III. Special Friends

IV. Fortifying Tweens for Teenage Relationships

A. Your Relationship

B. Anchors

C. Answers

1. On Sex

a)

b)

c)

d)

e)

f)

2. On Dating

a)

b)

c)

d)

e)

f)

g)

D. Escape Hatches

E. Cultivating Discernment

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Week #3: Policies & Policing with Technology & Social Media

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Review

I. Parental Concerns

A. Predators

B. Pornography

C. Pastimes

D. Private relationships

E. Pseudo-personality

II. Parental Power

A. Place Partitions

B. Permission to Pry

C. Prevent Panic

D. Persuade to Put Off

E. Pray

III. Putting Things in Perspective

IV. Practical Help

The Best Parental Control Software of 2017 - by NEIL J. RUBENKING, Jan 5, 2017 - <http://www.pcmag.com/article2/0%2c2817%2c2346997%2c00.asp>

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Week #4: Vocation: Keeping the End Game in Mind

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I. Made for Relationships and Work

II. The Need for Work for Your Tweens & Teens

A. Working in General

B. Work Ethic

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11. Other Consideration

a) Pay for Work

b) Opportunities for Work Outside the Home

c) Other Kinds of Work

III. Christian Vocations

- A. As Christian**

- B. As Family Member**

- C. As Church Member**

- D. As Community Member**

- E. As Christian Worker**

IV. Continual Emphases

- A. Emphasizing a Calling to Work (v. Entertainment)**

- B. Emphasizing Self-Awareness (Self Knowledge, Self-Respect, Sobriety)**

- C. Emphasizing a Call to Independence (v. Dependence - Leave & Cleave)**

V. Final Words on Tweens to Teens