Strategy Cheat Sheet

For Raising and Teaching Twice Exceptional Kids

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Lean in...

When you notice your child or student is emotionally overstimulated, lean in.

Let go of expectations.

Ask what's going on.

Ask what you can do.

Or...

Sit next to them, silently.

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Find Verbs

Think about what you want your 2e child or student to do.

When they do it - simply notice.

Don't thank or praise, just notice.

Just like we notice when they don't do something or they do something 'wrong,' this is an opportunity to catch them doing well.

Ask Questions

We are often the frontal lobe for our 2e kids.

They need to develop theirs.

Stop telling them what to do and start asking questions that help them realize what they need to do.

Create a wake

Stop nagging.
Stop begging.
Stop negotiating.

Start doing.

Read that book, play that game, walk out the door.

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