

# 7 LESSONS TO LEARN FROM THE AUTHORITATIVE PARENTING STYLE

The authoritative parenting style is an approach to child-rearing that is linked with superior child outcomes throughout the world

WHEN YOU AS  
THE PARENT ...

Take the lead as your  
**CHILD'S MOST IMPORTANT EDUCATOR.**

Have **TWO-WAY CONVERSATIONS** with your child about rules and socially appropriate behaviour.

Make your child aware of how their **BEHAVIOUR** can affect others.

**PLAY EDUCATIONAL GAMES** with your child.

Don't allow **SUCCESS OR FAILURE** to define your child's identity.

**LISTEN** to your child's perspective without dismissing their feelings.

Support your child's innate need for becoming **MORE INDEPENDENT** over time.

YOUR CHILD WILL  
HAVE A BETTER  
CHANCE OF ...

**GROWING UP HAPPY**, competent and self-motivated.

Being less aggressive and defiant as a teenager, and **MORE RESPECTFUL** of your opinion when they're a young adult.

Being more **SOCIALLY ADEPT.**

Developing **HIGHER SOCIAL STATUS.**

Developing a more stable sense of **SELF-WORTH.**

Developing their own **INNER COMPASS.**

Grow into a **FULLY INDEPENDENT ADULT.**

