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Tip 25 – Discussing beliefs with kids.

As part of The Fathering Projects involvement with your school, I will be including helpful tips and ideas for all fathers and father – figures. I hope these tips will help, inspire and encourage all fathers and father – figures to be the best that they can be, as all fathers and father – figures are critically important in every child's life. Tips derived from "The Blue Book of Tips for Fathers and Father-Figures"

More involved fathers and father – figures = better outcomes for children.

- Discuss your beliefs with your children, whatever they are.
- Give children the opportunity to learn and think about belief issues by themselves.
- We can cause children to react against our own or any other belief by the way we talk about it and how we behave.
- Beliefs are best transmitted to children if reflected in the lives of their parents.
- A father's personal beliefs can have positive or negative effects on fathering.

The Fathering Project is not a counselling service; we are seeking to inspire and equip fathers and father - figures to engage with their children.



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