

Complete the sentences from the listening with to- infinitives or gerunds.



1. Our kids can prepare for the unknown and unpredictable world by ..... (learn) to adapt, to deal with change.
2. We, as adults, should not object to our kids ..... (ask) questions, we should encourage them ..... (do) so.
3. They have to learn not to give up ..... (try), and we should encourage them to keep on ..... (work) hard, until they are confident enough in their problem-solving abilities.
4. If your child gets used to ..... (tackle) projects, self-education might become one more exciting project for them.
5. When you feel like ..... (do) something, you put all your energy into it. If you get so excited that you can't stop ..... (think) about something, you'll definitely keep on ..... (do) it and will certainly complete this project.
6. Parents should only suggest ..... (do) something and gently encourage children ..... (do) things on their own. Once children learn ..... (be) independent, they learn that they don't need a

teacher, a parent or a boss to tell them what to do, how to improve themselves.

7. To prevent them from ..... (look for) happiness elsewhere, parents should encourage children to learn from an early age to be happy by themselves, playing, reading and imagining.
8. Do not educate your children ..... (be) rich. Educate them ..... (be) happy so that when they grow up, they will know the value of things, not the price of things.
9. Be compassionate to others and your child will learn ..... (think) how others might be feeling, how to be a good person, how to make others happier with little kindnesses.
10. Encourage your kids ..... (develop) into tolerant individuals.
11. If we prepare our children ..... (adapt) to anything, we can congratulate ourselves on ..... (achieve) a lot and our kids will thank us for ..... (teach) them the right thing.

