

Steward Your Words Well

Word curses are detrimental and can cause lasting negative effects.

Use these scenario's as a guide to show you how to change a negative word over your child to a positive one.

Statement #1

Johnny is so bad.

Correction

No, Johnny is not bad, he's 4. He's doing things a 4 year old is expected to do and we are working on correcting his behavior and teaching him what is acceptable and what is not.

Statement #2

Jane is bad and out of control.

Correction

No, Jane is not bad or out of control. She's having a moment right now. Just like adults need time to destress, Jane is exemplifying that same behavior. It may be in an unfavorable way as you see with the chair she just threw but with continued guidance, Jane will learn that that type of behavior will not be tolerated and she will be taught other methods on how to express her dissatisfaction.

Statement #3

It's the "terrible-two's."

Correction

No, it's not the "terrible-two's." Brandon is being a typical 2 year old toddler.



Give It A Try

Statment #1

Sally won't listen to you, she doesn't listen to anyone.

Statment #2

Michael's so bad at sports, don't ask him to join the team.

Statement #3

Danielle always sits by herself, if she keeps that up she won't ever make friends.