

15 Questions Kids Ask During Separation And Divorce And How To Answer Them

Separation and divorce can be a difficult and confusing experience for children of all ages. They may have questions about what is happening, why their parents are no longer together, and what the future holds. As parents, educators, and caregivers, it is important to be prepared to answer these questions honestly and age-appropriately.

In this article, we will provide a comprehensive guide to 15 common questions that kids ask during separation and divorce. We will offer guidance on how to answer these questions in a way that is both truthful and supportive.

1. Why are my parents getting separated or divorced?

Age 3-5: Mom and Dad are not getting along anymore, so they are going to live in different houses. **Age 6-8:** Mom and Dad have been having some problems for a while, and they have decided that it is best for them to live apart. **Age 9-12:** Mom and Dad have decided that they are not happy together anymore. They love you very much, but they do not love each other.



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2. Will I still see both of my parents?

Age 3-5: Yes, you will still see both Mom and Dad. They will just live in different houses. **Age 6-8:** Yes, you will still see both Mom and Dad. They will work out a schedule so that you can spend time with each of them. **Age 9-12:** Yes, you will still see both Mom and Dad. They may not live together anymore, but they still love you very much and want to be a part of your life.

3. Will I have to choose between Mom and Dad?

Age 3-5: No, you do not have to choose between Mom and Dad. You can love both of them. **Age 6-8:** No, you do not have to choose between Mom and Dad. They both love you and want to be a part of your life. **Age 9-12:** No, you do not have to choose between Mom and Dad. They may not be together anymore, but they both still love you very much and want to be a part of your life.

4. Is it my fault?

Age 3-5: No, it is not your fault. Mom and Dad are having problems that have nothing to do with you. **Age 6-8:** No, it is not your fault. Mom and Dad have been having problems for a while, and it is not because of anything you did or didn't do. **Age 9-12:** No, it is not your fault. Mom and Dad are having problems that have nothing to do with you. They still love you very much and want to be a part of your life.

5. Will I ever have a real family again?

Age 3-5: Yes, you will still have a family. Mom and Dad may not be together anymore, but you will still have two homes and two families that love you very much.**Age 6-8:** Yes, you will still have a family. Mom and Dad may not live together anymore, but they will both still be your parents and they will both love you very much.**Age 9-12:** Yes, you will still have a family. Mom and Dad may not be together anymore, but they will both still be your parents and they will both love you very much.

6. Will I have to move?

Age 3-5: You may have to move, but it will be okay. Mom and Dad will help you find a new place to live that you will love.**Age 6-8:** You may have to move, but Mom and Dad will work together to find a new place to live that you will love.**Age 9-12:** You may have to move, but Mom and Dad will work together to find a new place to live that you will love.

7. Will I have to change schools?

Age 3-5: You may have to change schools, but it will be okay. Mom and Dad will help you find a new school that you will love.**Age 6-8:** You may have to change schools, but Mom and Dad will work together to find a new school that you will love.**Age 9-12:** You may have to change schools, but Mom and Dad will work together to find a new school that you will love.

8. Will I have to say goodbye to my friends?

Age 3-5: You may have to say goodbye to some friends, but you will still have friends at your new school.**Age 6-8:** You may have to say goodbye to some friends, but Mom and Dad will help you stay in touch with them.**Age**

9-12: You may have to say goodbye to some friends, but Mom and Dad will help you stay in touch with them.

9. Will I get to see my family on holidays?

Age 3-5: Yes, you will still get to see your family on holidays. Mom and Dad will work together to make sure that you get to spend time with

everyone.**Age 6-8:** Yes, you will still get to see your family on holidays.

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10. Will I have to share my stuff?

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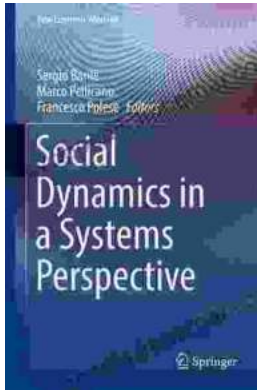
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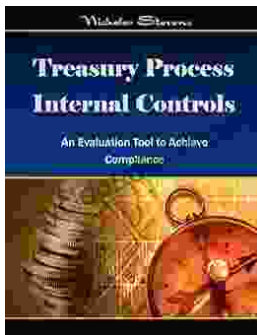
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