

SAMPLE * Note: this is the only puzzle with "Parents Toolshop" in the clues/answers.

Puzzle # 10 CLEAR COMMUNICATION TOOLSET

CROSTICLUE

To solve the Crosticlude, write the answers of the CLUES on the lines to the right of them. Take answers from the WORD LIST. When you have answered all the CLUES, the first letters, reading down, spell out an important resource for solving every problem at every age.

WORD LIST

CLUES

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| Over | 1. When the problem involves the parent and the child, both need to be involved in this. | □ | _____ |
| See | 2. We can improve communication by getting eye-to-eye _____. | □ | _____ |
| How | 3. "Work before play," is an example of one of Grandma=s _____. | □ | _____ |
| Non-Verbal | 4. We can describe the negative _____ of the misbehavior. | □
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□ | _____ |
| Send | 5. "Actions speak louder than words." | □ | _____ |
| Objective | 6. Relationships would surely improve if we _____ our children as we do our friends. | □ | _____ |
| Agreements | 7. A 4 star tool: Describe What You _____. | □ | _____ |
| One | 8. Avoid shame and guilt _____. | □ | _____ |
| Rules | 9. Assertive communication uses _____, factual descriptions. | □ | _____ |
| Trips | 10. The goal of aggressive, controlling communication is to gain power _____ others. | □ | _____ |
| Problem solving | 11. In this Toolset, we learn to set _____. | □ | _____ |
| Limits | 12. We also learn how to _____ clear messages. | □ | _____ |
| Perspective | 13. Another tool: Describe _____ You Feel . | □ | _____ |
| Effect | 14. Quick Reminders can be just _____ word. | □ | _____ |
| Treated | 15. It's important to hear the other person's _____. | □ | _____ |

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ANSWER KEY

WORD LIST	CLUES		
	1. When the problem involves the parent and the child, both need to be involved in this.	P	Problem Solving
	2. We can improve communication by getting eye-to-eye _____.	A	Agreements
	3. "Work before play," is an example of one of Grandma's _____.	R	Rules
	4. We can describe the negative _____ of the misbehavior.	E	Effect
	5. "Actions speak louder than words" refers to _____ communication.	N	Non-Verbal
	6. Relationships would surely improve if we _____ our children as we do our friends	T	Treated
	7. A four-star tool: Describe What You _____.	S	See
	8. Avoid shame and guilt _____.	T	Trips
	9. Assertive communication uses _____factual descriptions.	O	Objective
	10. The goal of aggressive, controlling communication is to gain power _____others	O	Over
	11. In this Toolset, we learn to set _____.	L	Limits
	12. We also learn how to _____clear messages	S	Send
	13. Another tool: Describe _____ You Feel.	H	How
	14. Quick Reminders can be just _____ word.	O	One
	15. It's important to consider the other person's _____.	P	Perspective