

# 2023 HOMESCHOOL FAMILY CONFERENCE

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## *A Peaceful Home*

1. Start the day with music and prayer.
2. Declutter.
  - Especially the visual clutter on the wall and on the floors (or any flat surface).
  - Make sure things have a “home.”
  - Put items at their point of use.
  - Do this process **with** your children.
3. “Take dominion” of bins, boxes, and baskets.
  - Containers should contain only one “kind” of thing.
    - Sort and classify.
    - Label, give names.
  - Organize clothes and closets
4. Define areas and tasks that happen in those areas.
5. Choose calming colors.
  - If you can paint, choose white or light colors.
    - Yellow, tan, and warm cream colors
    - Light blue and light green are calming
  - Try to keep most items in the same color family.

### Recommended Resources:

- Erev Shabbat Playlist:  
[https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PLwq5jL\\_oCJFgFZxAyp3w30e9\\_BOyXeu-&si=C6N85KjNoyr3Z-aA](https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PLwq5jL_oCJFgFZxAyp3w30e9_BOyXeu-&si=C6N85KjNoyr3Z-aA)
- [\*The Sensory Child Gets Organized\*](#), by Carolyn Dalgliesh