

## Visit 1 – The Home Environment - Homework

What is Couch Time?

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1.	PFP Manual - Read Chapter 1 - Right Beginnings.
2.	Take note of any "take-away" moments or any questions while watching video or reading.
3.	You can start a habit of couch-time right now, it's an ideal opportunity to do homework together and discuss what you're learning.
4.	Answer Questions for Review below.
Questions for Review	
1.	How would you summarize the major theme of the chapter?
2.	List and offer a short explanation of the three great influences on a child's life?
3.	A healthy vibrant marriage relationship provides children with what?
4.	Do children make a family or do they expand the family? Explain your answer.

## Visit 2 – The Ripple Effect Principle– Homework

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- 1. PFP Manual Read Chapter 2 Feeding Philosophies and Chapter 3 Babies and Sleep.
- 2. Take note of any "take-away" moments or any questions while watching video or reading.
- 3. Continue Couch time to discuss what you are learning.
- 4. Answer Questions for Review below.

## Questions for Review

- 1. What is the "Ripple Effect" and how does it apply to infant feedings?
- 2. During the 20<sup>th</sup> century, what were the two predominant views of baby management? What did they emphasise?
- 3. What is the birth-trauma theory? What does it require from a mother?
- 4. How is Parent-Directed Feeding philosophy different from demand-feeding?
- 5. How and why do feeding philosophies impact night time sleep?
- 6. Explain the relationship between babies who get full feedings and night time sleep?
- 7. Where does optimal alertness come from?
- 8. What is a "sleep prop?"
- 9. What does the American Academy of Paediatrics say about co-sleeping with an infant?



### Visit 3 – The First Ten Days – Homework

There is a direct relationship between doing the homework and success in applying the principles. You will need more than just a casual understanding of what you are about to learn. You may be asked to share some of your insights and discussions of the following questions.

- 1. PFP Manual Read Chapter 4 Facts on Feeding and Chapter 5 Taking Care of Baby and Mum.
- 2. PFP Manual Read Appendix 1 What to Expect and When, Appendix 2 Your Baby's Growth., and Appendix 6 Monitoring Your Baby's Growth.
- 3. Take note of any "take-away" moments or any questions while watching video or reading.
- 4. Continue Couch time to discuss what you are learning.
- 5. Answer Questions for Review below.

#### **Questions for Review**

- 1. List the basic infant hunger cues.
- 2. Please finish the rest of the sentence: The Parent-Directed Feeding approach not only provides for sufficient demand but also promotes:
- 3. List two indicators that your baby is receiving enough milk for healthy growth.
- 4. What is colostrum and when does a baby receive it?
- 5. What is the difference between foremilk and hindmilk?
- 6. What is the PDF first rule of feeding?
- 7. Why should you not be thinking about sleep training for the first ten days? Explain your answer.
- 8. In terms of averages, when should a parent be expecting baby's first and second growth spurt?
- 9. As it relates to infants, what is the difference between 'spitting up' and 'projectile vomiting'?

#### Visit 4 – The First Month – Homework

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- 1. PFP Manual Read Chapter 6 Managing Your Baby's Day, Chapter 7 Waketimes and Naps, and Chapter 8 When Your Baby Cries.
- 2. PFP Manual Read Appendix 3 Colic and Reflux, and Appendix 5 Problem Solving.
- 3. Take note of any "take-away" moments or any questions while watching video or reading.
- 4. Continue Couch time to discuss what you are learning.
- 5. Answer Questions for Review below.

#### **Questions for Review**

- 1. What is the first PDF feeding rule covering the first ten days to two weeks?
- 2. Explain why you do not have to begin actively working on sleep training in the first month of your baby's life.
- 3. When should you wake a sleeping baby, and why?
- 4. Why is it important to establish and maintain the first morning feeding time?
- 5. What is the 45-minute intruder?
- 6. List the three abnormal cry periods and please give examples?
- 7. List the three normal cry periods and please give examples?



# Visit 5 – Eight Weeks and Beyond– Homework

There is a direct relationship between doing the homework and success in applying the principles. You will need more than just a casual understanding of what you are about to learn. You may be asked to share some of your insights and discussions of the following questions.

- 1. PFP Manual Read Chapter 9 The Topic Pool.
- 2. PFP Manual Read Appendix 5 Multiple Births.
- 3. Take note of any "take-away" moments or any questions while watching video or reading.
- 4. Continue Couch time to discuss what you are learning.

## Questions for Review

There are no Questions for Review.