

What Do I Say? How Do I React?

Scenario	My response/reaction	Other ideas
Your child's school doesn't address racist current events (either in the classroom or publicly)		
Your child talks about the Black kid in their class that always gets in trouble... You don't think what your child describes is bad behavior		
Other parents in your child's middle school class are complaining about a teacher's grading practices for a group project-- all students in a group will be given the same grade. They are worried that their students groups "aren't a good fit" and that "those kids are lazy."		
Your child tells you that other kids on the bus have been using racist language to tease another child, but that they're afraid to say anything because they don't want to be bullied		
Your child complains about a book they are reading in class because "it's weird" and "has nothing to do with [them]"... You realize the main character is transgender		
Your child is playing/hanging out with another child and his parents say something racist in front of the kids		
In a PTO meeting, a vocal parent states that teachers are supposed to educate students, not be activists for a cause		