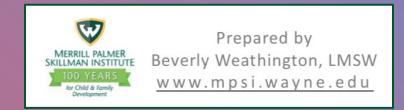


Family Fun on on a Budget



Creating Priceless Moments

Economics & Parenting



Think about cost of basic needs

Don't often factor in cost of family enjoyment



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That Children
Want to be
Entertained by

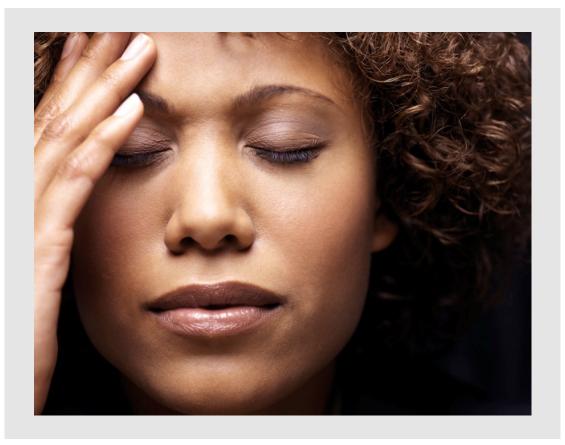
Video games

Expensive toys

Costly outings
Financial Strain
and Stress



Thoughts that Parents Struggle With



Good Parenting =

Purchasing

Guilt = Saying No

Wants = Needs

Children Want and Need

Your time

Your input

Your interest

Your concern

To See you relaxed

These Wants are Priceless



Family Enjoyment Budgeting



Spending Time Does Not Mean Spending Money

- Board Games
- Movies at Home
- Cooking
- Crafting
- Books



Embrace the Outdoors

- Walks
- Zoo
- Sledding
- Fort Building



Don't Forget the Museums



Detroit Institute of Arts

Detroit Historical Museum

Charles H. Wright Museum of African American History

Motown Historical Museum

Detroit African Bead Museum



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A Little Competition – Adults vs. Kids

Family Olympics

Cook Off Competition

Talent Show

Family Game Night



Spread the Fun

Schedule fun time with

- Grandparents
- Aunts/Uncles



Free Kid's
Kits to
Work on
Together

Lowes Build and Grow Kits

Home Depot Kid's Take Home Kits



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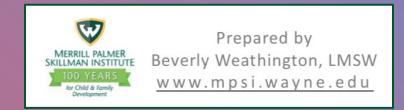








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