

# Confessions of a KATY PARENT

Read these funny confessions from Katy parents. We used only initials to protect the embarrassed.

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## Honorary Co-worker

"I drive my son to school every morning before I go to work. I was in such a rush one morning thinking about a big meeting I had, that I completely forgot about my son's school and drove us straight to work. It was too late to take him back so I declared it, 'Take your son to work day!' He sure loved that." - B.B.



## Parental Treats

"Sometimes I find myself wishing there was an adult liquor truck that went around the neighborhood like ice cream trucks do. We deserve treats, too!" - G.M.

## Causing Gray Hair

"My kid asked me how adults get gray hair. I told him that each gray hair is from his misbehavior. He replied with, 'Oh. Well you must've been terrible growing up because grandma has a head full of gray hair!'" - E.S.

## Mom Driver

"I love playing Mario Kart with my kids. My wife decided to play a round and didn't do too well because she kept bumping into the walls and running over bananas. Our daughter said, 'Wow, mom! Is this why daddy never lets you drive his car?' I couldn't stop laughing." - B.P.

## Panic Purchase

"I had been on a two-week work trip and on my way home from the airport, I saw signs for a missing cat in our neighborhood. I panicked because I thought it was ours. I ran to the pet shop and bought the first cat I saw. I returned home with a new cat to find out that the missing one was actually our neighbor's. I was too embarrassed to tell the kids, so now we have two cats." - J.P.

## Fat Santa

"I tell my kids that Santa is fat because he eats children who get up early on Christmas morning." - C.D.

## Mom for the Win

"My kids had a habit of always sitting on my kitchen counters, where the food would go! It is my biggest pet peeve. Now they have their own houses, so the first thing I did when I visited their new home was sit myself on their kitchen counter." - M.V.

## Emoji Overload

"Our family has an ongoing group text. Our teenage daughter thinks my husband and I are too old to use the iPhone emojis, so we decided to go a full day using only the emojis - no words!" - K.L.

## Fatherly Pride

"My son threw a football across my kitchen and broke a vase! My husband, completely disregarding the fact that he just broke my flower vase, says, 'Wow! Great arm, that's my boy. Nice throw!'" - L.G.



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