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# Confessions of a KATY PARENT

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

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## Busted

"My wife records a certain amount of shows on the DVR every night. If any other show, movie, or game is recorded other than hers, the space runs out and she immediately finds out. The Disney Channel was playing classic movies I had never seen before so I recorded *Frozen* to see what all the hype was about. My wife came home and noticed a Disney movie on the DVR list and our kids were at their grandma's house all weekend. I got busted. Yes, I watched *Frozen* and I liked it." - E.G.

## Cool Kids

"When I take my kid to a social event with other parents, I look around and make sure my husband and I are the coolest ones. Childish, I know." - M.C.

## Spicy Twist

"I don't like sharing my food, so I tell my kids that every meal I get is 'spicy' so they won't try to take anything from my plate. If only my husband didn't mind 'spicy!'" - L.T.

## Still Good

"My kid dropped his pizza on the floor at Sam's Club after waiting 20 minutes in line for it. I let him pick it back up and eat it. Five second rule!" - B.B.

## Sharp Dresser

"My kid recently started dressing himself for school. Here I am at the age of 38 still getting my clothes picked out by my wife!" - C.O.



## Cooking Classes

"My 9-year-old daughter picked up an interest in cooking. I hate cooking, so I am extremely proud, but my diet for the past few weeks has consisted of mac and cheese, grilled cheese, and cheese quesadillas." - R.N.

## Not My Meltdown

"It brings me joy (shamefully) to see someone else's kid having a meltdown in public simply because I don't have to deal with it." - S.L.

## Love Letter

"My 10-year-old son typed his little girlfriend a love letter on our home computer. He left the letter open and my wife came home and saw it on the screen. After reading the sweet letter, she came into our room, gave me the biggest hug, and told me how much she loved the kind words. I (eventually) had to tell her that it was actually written by our son - for someone else. But, it was hilarious that my little man helped me out!" - P.L.

## Time Crunch

"My son isn't old enough to tell time yet, so his bedtime is at 8 p.m. on some days, and at 7 p.m. on others so mom and dad can have extra time to ourselves." - E.M.



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