Family Visit Pause Plan

A temporary pause needs a known place and return.

Hear the request and carry the adult arrangement for an ordinary break.

Hypothetical example: a parent checks the host's permission for a reading chair, stays aware of the child's location, and agrees to bring the child back before dessert.

01 The request

Ask what the child means by taking a break.

Child's actual request

Pause or departure being requested

Concern requiring direct adult attention

02 Available place

Confirm the setting before using it.

Host-approved place

Responsible adult and location awareness

Alternative if a separate space is unavailable

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03 Return arrangement

Give the pause a usable end.

Check-in time or event

Who will initiate the return

Practical information the host needs

04 After the pause

Repair an instruction that did not fit the visit.

What happened on rejoining

Instruction needing clarification

Arrangement to check at the next visit