

Dear, Sasha!

Thanks for your letter.

You have written about a very serious problem.

In your letter you ask me about the relationship between two different generations, namely, parents and children. The desire of parents to have children follow their advice is always clear and understandable. Parents feel responsible for their children. They are convinced that their children's health, their lives, and their successes depend entirely on them, the parents.

Children, in turn, refuse to understand the reason for their parents' tutelage. They do not understand that parents care about them more than about themselves, and each child's failure is perceived as their own.

It is always possible to find a compromise, but in order to do this, both sides must meet each other. After all, parents and children are kindred people, have common features and should understand each other.