

50 Conversation Starters to Get Your Teen to Talk



1. How was your day? (FYI...this one is least effective.)
2. Tell me something funny that happened today.
3. If you had to be one of your teachers for a day, which one would it be?
4. Who is your favorite superhero?
5. What did you have for lunch today?
6. Who did you eat with? What do you like about them? (Or what don't you like?)
7. What did you learn in _____ ? (fill in name of class)
8. What is one thing you would change about your life if you could?
9. What is your favorite family tradition?
10. What is one thing you would change about our family if you could?
11. If you were a super hero, what super power would you want to have?
12. If you won a million dollars, what is the first thing you would do?
13. If you could go anywhere in the world, where would you go?
14. What is one thing most of the kids in your school/class are talking about this week?
15. If you were a king/queen, how would you decide how to treat your people?
16. If you could drive any vehicle you wanted, which one would you choose?
17. What is the one thing that bothers you the most about our family?
18. If a genie gave you 3 wishes, what would you wish for?
19. Which teacher is most annoying?
20. Does anyone in your class smell funny?
21. What is the ideal number of children per family?
22. What is the perfect time of day?
23. What is the best way to earn money?
24. What is the grossest thing you have ever heard of?
25. What is your favorite movie?



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26. What is your favorite book?
27. What is the most important trait for the President to have?
28. Would you rather live in an apartment, single story house, 2 story house, condo, trailer, etc.?
29. If you had to be in a race, would you rather run, swim, or bike?
30. What is one food no one should have to eat?
31. If you had to learn a brand new skill, what would you learn?
32. If you had to pick a husband for me, who would you pick?
33. What is one thing that is wrong in this world?
34. What are 5 things that are wonderful in this world?
35. What invention do you wish existed?
36. What bad habit do I have that you think I should break?
37. What is one quality I have, that you hope you have?
38. What is one quality I have, that you hope you don't have?
39. If you could have any animal for a pet, what would it be?
40. If you could (had to) trade one of your chores for a new, what would it be?
41. What are 2 things you hope happen before your next birthday?
42. How old do you think you will live to be?
43. Tell me about a dream you've had.
44. What do you think the world will be like in 100 years?
45. Where is the best place to take a vacation?
46. Who is your favorite Disney character?
47. What is one difference between girls and boys that drives you nuts?
48. What is your favorite holiday? What new holiday should be created?
49. What makes you most happy?
50. What are you afraid of?

