How to talk with

people you live with

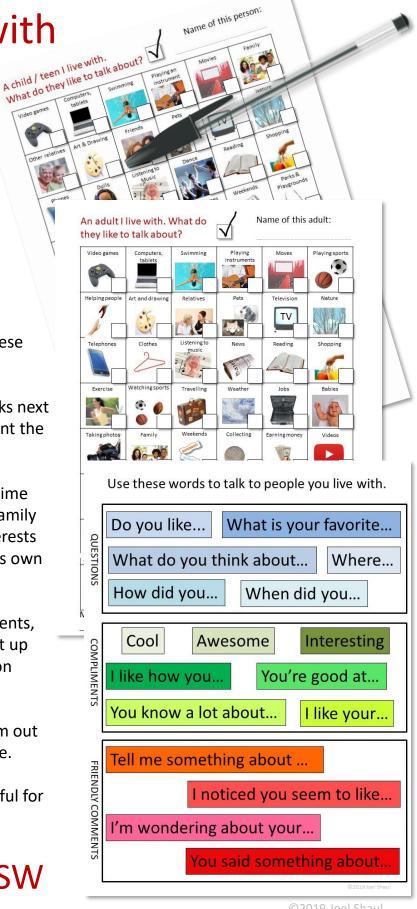
Check-off worksheets to help children talk with parents, siblings and others

There are several ways to use these worksheets.

- 1. Have the child put check marks next to the photos they think represent the person's interests.
- 2. Go over the images one at a time with the child. Explain that the family member probably has many interests that are different from the child's own interests.
- 3. The sheet "Questions, Comments, Compliments" can be used to set up role plays and actual conversation practice with family members.
- 4. Have family members fill them out for the child to use as a reference.

I hope these worksheets are useful for you.

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An adult I live with. What do they like to talk about?



Name of this adult:

Video games	Computers, tablets	Swimming	Playing instruments	Movies	Playing sports
Helping people	Art and drawing	Relatives	Pets	Television	Nature
1				TV	
Telephones	Clothes	Listening to	News	Reading	Shopping
	2	music	TOTAL SERVICE		
Exercise	Watching sports	Travelling	Weather	Jobs	Babies
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Taking photos	Family	Weekends	Collecting	Earning money	Videos
	00-00	SUNDAY			
Working in	Cooking	Looking nice	Raising kids	Restaurants	Fast food
the yard		70154			
Cleaning the home	Parties	Church, synagogue, mosque	~~~	Fixing things	Social media
nome			Memories from long ago		facebook
Neighbors	Funny things	Sad things	School	Siblings	YOU &

My name:

A child / teen I live with. What do they like to talk about?



Name of this person:

Video games	Computers, tablets	Swimming	Playing an instrument	Movies	Family
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Other relatives	Art & Drawing	Friends	Pets		Nature
		(BE		TV	
Phones	Dolls	Listening to	Dance	Reading	Shopping
		Music			
Playing Sports	Watching	Going Places	Board games	Weekends	Parks &
	Sports		900	SUNDAY	Playgrounds
Toys	Clothes	Toys for building	Money	Fixing, building	Holidays
	A P				Coming up Christmas! Hanukah! Thanksgiving! Easter! Summer Vacation!
Treats	Cooking	Looking good	Helping at Home	Restaurants	Fast Food
Clubs, Youth Activities	Parties	Church, Temple, Mosque	Homework	Other people's	Videos
- CONTROL OF THE CONT				lives	
Neighbors	Funny Things	Sad Things	School	Other kids in the home	WHIL
				the nome	YOU

My name:

Use these words to talk to people you live with.

Do you like... What is your favorite... QUESTIONS What do you think about... Where... How did you... When did you...

Cool

Awesome

Interesting

I like how you...

You're good at...

You know a lot about...

I like your...

Tell me something about ...

I noticed you seem to like...

I'm wondering about your...

You said something about...

FRIENDLY COMMENTS

COMPLIMENTS