

50 Family Conversation Starters

Try these ideas to get your family conversations flowing! You can even make a game of it by printing this sheet and cutting the conversation starters into strips. Use scissors to curl the strips; drop them in a hat or bowl and take turns pulling out a strip and responding to the question.

1. What is your favorite book of all time?
2. Would you rather live in a big city or small town? Why?
3. If you could have any super power what would it be?
4. If you could invite any three people to dinner, who would it be?
5. If you wrote the story of your life, what would be the title?
6. What part of your life do you wish you were more daring in?
7. What do you think will become reality in the future but is not yet?
8. If you could pick only one life experience to remember, what would it be?
9. What would your perfect life be if money were not an issue?
10. Finish the sentence: I like it when my mom...
11. If you could be a cartoon character, who would you be, and why?
12. What is the most recent thing you've learned?
13. In what areas of your life are you strong?
14. What nickname would you give yourself to be called for the rest of your life?
15. If you could have three wishes granted, what would they be?
16. What is your favorite food?
17. What ALWAYS makes you laugh?
18. Tell about a funny embarrassing moment you've had.
19. Tell about a time you were afraid about something but it turned out all right.

20. Where do you see yourself in five years?
21. Finish this sentence: "One day I will be known for ..."
22. If you could do one thing to make the world a better place, what would it be?
23. What qualities do you think make a great leader?
24. What is one way you've been a leader in the past week?
25. Who is someone you look up to? What makes them a good role model?
26. If you became President of the United States, what would be your first act?
27. If you could talk with any U.S. president in history, who would it be and why?
28. What would be the best and worst parts of being U.S. president?
29. What is your favorite thing to do outside?
30. What is your favorite thing to do on a rainy day?
31. If you were a crayon, what color would you be and why?
32. If you had a \$1 million to spend in one year, what would you spend it on?
33. What would be your dream job?
34. What is the best thing about being young?
35. What is the hardest thing about being young?
36. What is the best thing you ever bought with your own money?
37. What was the worst thing you ever bought with your own money?
38. What makes you trust someone?
39. What is your favorite thing to wear?
40. What is the best Halloween costume you ever wore?
41. What is your definition of a rich person?
42. What is something you hope you never forget?

43. Who is your favorite cartoon character, and why?
44. When someone breaks their trust with you, how can they get it back?
45. What qualities make a great friend?
46. If you could travel to any time in the past, when would it be?
47. What is something you were scared of a few years ago but aren't anymore?
48. What is one song that always makes you turn up the volume?
49. What have you always wanted to do but haven't? What is stopping you?
50. Who is someone that can almost always make you laugh?