#### Parents of children 3 to 12 (Asking Statements)

- 1. What do you need to do so your teeth will feel squeaky clean?
- 2. What will you wear so you will be warm outside?
- 3. What is next on your bedtime routine chart?
- 4. What is your plan for doing your homework?
- 5. How can you and your brother solve this problem?
- 6. What did we decide, at our family meeting, to do with our dishes when we have finished eating?
- 7. What is your plan for catching the bus on time?
- 8. What words can you use so I can hear you?
- 9. What is your responsibility when you are finished playing with your toys?

Parents of Teens (Telling)

- 1. Go take a shower.
- 2. Don't forget your uniform.
- 3. Do your homework.
- 4. Get off the phone!
- 5. Stop fighting with your brother.
- 6. Pick up your clothes and put them in the hamper.
- 7. Hurry up and get dressed or you'll miss your ride.
- 8. Stop yelling!

Parents of Teens (Asking)

- 1. What do your friends say when you are sweaty and smelly?
- 2. Have you checked your game preparation list?
- 3. What are your plans for getting your homework done?
- 4. What was our agreement about when phones would be in the parking basket?
- 5. What can you and your brother do to solve this problem?
- 6. What will happen to your laundry that isn't in the hamper?
- 7. How will you get to school if you miss your ride?
- 8. What could we do to solve this problem respectfully?

For Early Childhood Teachers (Laurie Prusso) Telling

- 1. It's time to pick up your toys.
- 2. It's nap time. Go get your mat.
- 3. It is not okay to hit our friends.
- 4. It's cold outside. Don't forget your coats.
- 5. Don't forget to wash your hands.
- 6. Put your dirty dishes in the bucket.
- 7. Please stop whining.
- 8. You need to wait your turn.

For Early Childhood Teachers (Laurie Prusso) Asking

- 1. What do we do during clean-up time?
- 2. What do you need to do to be ready for nap time?
- 3. How do we treat our friends?
- 4. What do you need to take so you will be warm outside?
- 5. Where do your dishes go after you are finished eating?
- 6. What do you do with your hands after you go potty?
- 7. How can you talk so I can understand what you want?
- 8. What would help you wait for your turn—a timer or counting to 10?

# Elementary Teachers (Telling)

- 1. How many times have I told you to remember your homework?
- 2. Don't forget to take your coat for recess. It's cold outside.
- 3. If you don't get your work done in class, you will stay in during recess and get it done.
- 4. Why can't you sit quietly like Sally?
- 5. Stop complaining.
- 6. Who started this?
- 7. Put your papers away, books back on the shelf, and clean up the classroom before you leave.
- 8. You just got a red card. Go to the principal's

## Elementary Teachers (Asking)

- 1. What is your plan to help you remember your homework?
- 2. What will you wear if you want to be warm outside at recess?
- 3. What do you need to do to get your work done before recess?
- 4. How do we demonstrate that we are ready for the next lesson?
- 5. How can you share your concern so others want to hear you?
- 6. How much time do you two need to work this out?
- 7. What does everyone need to do to clean up the classroom before we leave?
- 8. Would you like to put this problem on the class meeting agenda, or would you like to see if you can find a solution on the wheel of choice?

#### Middle/High School Teachers (Telling)

- 1. You know you should have your books and homework ready before you come to class.
- 2. If you don't do your homework again, you will have to serve a 30-minute detention.
- 3. Put your papers away, books back on the shelf and clean up before you leave the classroom.
- 4. Stop asking so many questions when you could find answers for yourself.
- 5. Get to class. You are going to be late. Hurry up.
- 6. Stop talking to your neighbor
- 7. Don't wait until the last minute to do your report or you will get a lower grade.
- 8. Stay in your seat and quit bothering others.

## Middle/High School Teachers (Asking)

- 1. What would help you remember to bring what you need to be prepared for class?
- 2. What is your plan for getting your homework done and turned in on time?
- 3. What needs to be done so your desk and the classroom is clean and tidy before you leave?
- 4. What could you do to find this information?
- 5. What are your ideas for getting to class on time?
- 6. When is the best time to discuss ideas or ask each other questions?
- 7. What is your plan for finishing your assignment on time?
- 8. When you need to leave your seat, how can you make sure you are respectful to others?