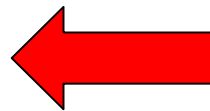


Taking Turns Talking (Two-Question or Comment Rule)

2 Question Rule



Ask a Question



1. Answer the Question
2. Ask the Same Question



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| Question A "How are you?" | Same Question A "Fine. How are you?" |
| Question B "What did you do this weekend?" | Same Question B "...What did you do this weekend?" |
| Question C "What do you want to play?" | Same Question C "...What do you want to play?" |

Taking Turns Talking

(Two-Question or Comment Rule)

1. When others greet you, greet them back
 - Example: If they say “Hello,” then you say “Hello” back to them.
2. **Two-Question Rule:** When others ask you a question, you answer it and then you ask them the same or closely related question right back.



- Example: “How are you.” / “Fine. How are you?”
- Example: If they say, “What’s your favorite TV show?” You answer them and then you ask them the same question: “My favorite TV show is _____. What’s your favorite TV show?”
- Write the questions down ahead of time and prompt the child to repeat it after they answer the question.

Sample Questions:

- ❖ What is your favorite TV show?
- ❖ What is your favorite food?
- ❖ What time do you go to bed?
- ❖ What is your favorite song?
- ❖ What is your name?
- ❖ Who is your favorite teacher?
- ❖ What did you have for breakfast?
- ❖ How was your weekend?

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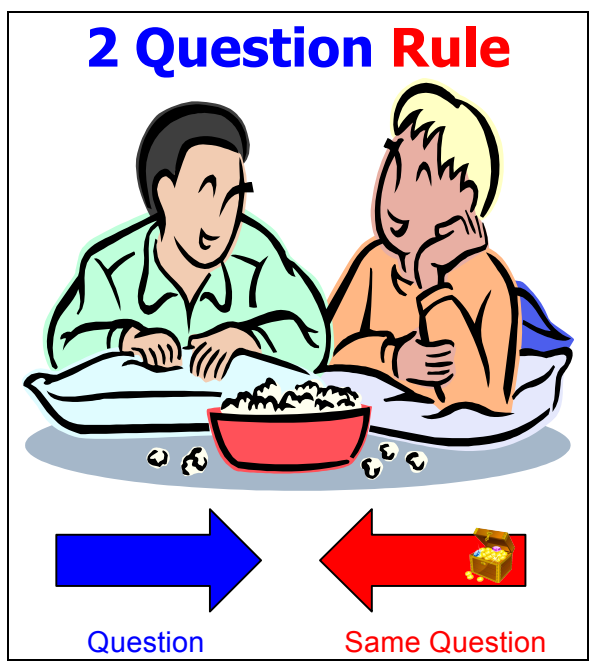
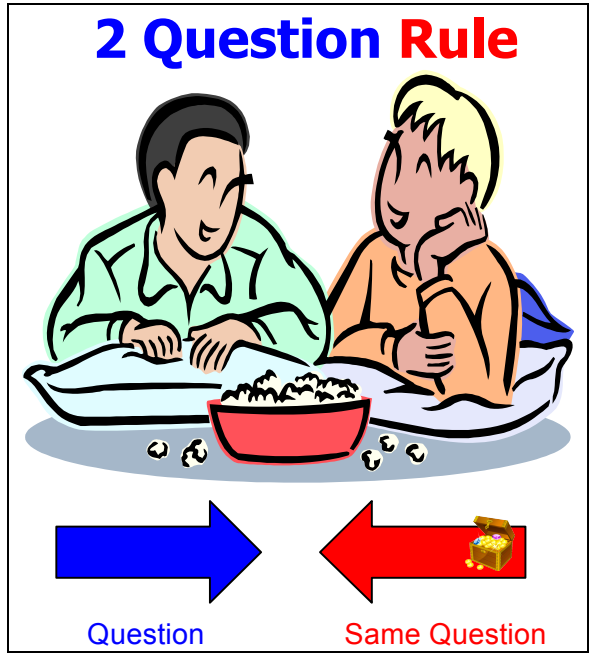
What do I learn about my friend and
What does my friend learn about me
when we use the **2QR**?



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| Our birthdays | What each of us will wear for Halloween | <i>Fill in some more things that friends learn about each other:</i> |
| Favorite game | | |
| Favorite teacher | | |
| Favorite sport | What each of us want to play next... | |
| Lots of favorites... | | |
| How old we are | What we don't like | |
| What each of us did last weekend | Do we watch TV? If so, What TV shows | |
| What each of us will do this weekend | What kind of video games do we both like | |

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Smaller visual



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