

## ALABAMA PARENTING QUESTIONNAIRE (PARENTS OF CHILDREN 6-18)

**Directions:** The following are a numbers of statements about your family. Please rate each item as to how often it typically occurs in your home. The possible answers are Never (1), Almost never (2), Sometimes (3), Often (4), Always (5). PLEASE ANSWER ALL ITEMS.

Parent Form

#	Item	1 Never	2 Almost never	3 Sometimes	4 Often	5 Always
1.	You have a friendly talk with your child.					
2.	You let your child know when he/she is doing a good job with something.					
3.	You threaten to punish your child and then do not actually punish him/her.					
4.	You volunteer to help with special activities that your child is involved in (such as sports, boy/girl scouts, church youth groups).					
5.	You reward or give something extra to your child for obeying you or behaving well.					
6.	Your child fails to leave a note or to let you know where he/she is going.					
7.	You play games or do other fun things with your child.					
8.	Your child talks you out of being punished after he/she has done something wrong.					

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9.	You ask your child about his/her day in school.					
10.	Your child stays out in the evening past the time he/she is supposed to be home.					
11.	You help your child with his/her homework.					
12.	You feel that getting your child to obey you is more trouble than it's worth.					
13.	You compliment your child when he/she does something well.					
14.	You ask your child what his/her plans are for the coming day.					
15.	You drive your child to a special activity.					
16.	You praise your child if he/she behaves well.					
17.	Your child is out with friends you don't know.					
18.	You hug or kiss your child when he/she does something well.					
19.	Your child goes out without a set time to be home.					
20.	You talk to your child about his/her friends.					
21.	Your child is out after dark without an adult with him/her.					
22.	You let your child out of a punishment early (like lift restrictions earlier than you originally said).					

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23.	Your child helps plan family activities.					
24.	You get so busy that you forgot where your child is and what he/she is doing.					
25.	Your child is not punished when he/she has done something wrong.					
26.	You attend PTA meetings, parent/teacher conferences, or other meetings at your child's school.					
27.	You tell your child that you like it when he/she helps out around the house.					
28.	You don't check that your child comes home at the time she/he was supposed to.					
29.	You don't tell your child where you are going.					
30.	Your child comes home from school more than an hour past the time you expect him/her.					
31.	The punishment you give your child depends on your mood.					
32.	Your child is at home without adult supervision.					

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33.	You spank your child with your hand when he/she has done something wrong.					
34.	You ignore your child when he/she is misbehaving.					
35.	You slap your child when he/she has done something wrong.					
36.	You take away privileges or money from your child as a punishment.					
37.	You send your child to his/her room as a punishment.					
38.	You hit your child with a belt, switch, or other object when he/she has done something wrong.					
39.	You yell or scream at your child when he/she has done something wrong.					
40.	You calmly explain to your child why his/her behavior was wrong when he/she misbehaves.					
41.	You use time out (make him/her sit or stand in a corner) as a punishment.					
42.	You give your child extra chores as a punishment.					

Replicates the Alabama Parenting Questionnaire scale. (Frick, P.J., 1991).

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Child Form

#	Item	1 Never	2 Almost never	3 Sometimes	4 Often	5 Always
1.	You have a friendly talk with your mom.					
1A.	How about your dad?					
2.	Your parents tell you that you are doing a good job.					
3.	Your parents threaten to punish you and then do not do it.					
4.	Your mom helps with some of your special activities (such as sports, boy/girl scouts, church youth groups).					
4A.	How about your dad?					
5.	Your parents reward or give something extra to you for behaving well.					
6.	You fail to leave a note or let your parents know where you are going.					
7.	You play games or do other fun things with your mom.					
7A.	How about your dad?					
8.	You talk your parents out of punishing you after you have done something wrong.					
9.	Your mom asks you about your day in school.					
9A.	How about your dad?					

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10.	You stay out in the evening past the time you are supposed to be home.					
11.	Your mom helps you with your homework.					
11A.	How about your dad?					
12.	Your parents give up trying to get you to obey them because it's too much trouble.					
13.	Your parents compliment you when you have done something well.					
14.	Your mom asks you what your plans are for the coming day.					
14A.	How about your dad?					
15.	Your mom drives you to a special activity.					
15A.	How about your dad?					
16.	Your parents praise you for behaving well.					
17.	Your parents do not know the friends you are with.					
18.	Your parents hug or kiss you when you have done something very well.					
19.	You go out without a set time to be home.					
20.	Your mom talks to you about your friends.					
20A.	How about your dad?					
21.	You go out after dark without an adult with you.					

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22.	Your parents let you out of a punishment early (like lift restrictions earlier than they originally said).					
23.	You help plan family activities.					
24.	Your parents get so busy that they forget where you are and what you are doing.					
25.	Your parents do not punish you when you have done something wrong.					
26.	Your mom goes to a meeting at school, like a PTA meeting or parent/teacher conference.					
26A.	How about your dad?					
27.	Your parents tell you that they like it when you help out around the house.					
28.	You stay out later than you are supposed to and your parents don't know it.					
29.	Your parents leave the house and don't tell you where they are going.					
30.	You come home from school more than an hour past the time your parents expect you to be home.					
31.	The punishment your parents give depends on their mood.					

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32.	You are at home without an adult being with you.					
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34.	Your parents ignore you when you are misbehaving.					
35.	Your parents slap you when you have done something wrong.					
36.	Your parents take away a privilege or money from you as a punishment.					
37.	Your parents send you to your room as a punishment.					
38.	Your parents hit you with a belt, switch, or other object when you have done something wrong.					
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