

70 Questions to Ask Your Mentee

1. Tell me the 3 best things about you?
2. If you could have a superpower, which one would you pick?
3. If you were trapped on a deserted island and could pick one person to be with, who would it be? Why?
4. If you could tell your parents to never serve two vegetables again, which would you choose?
5. What qualities do you like about your friends? Why?
6. If a genie could grant you any 3 wishes, what would they be?
7. What profession do you want to be when you're older?
8. Who was the best teacher you ever had? Why?
9. What would the ideal teacher be like?
10. What college/university/trade school would you like to attend?
11. How much privacy would you like? What time of the day do like to be alone?
12. If you are feeling sad, what meal would be the one that would cheer you up?
13. Do you ever have a dream that comes back over and over? If so, what is it like?
14. Is there anything you pretend you understand, but you really don't? What is it?
15. If a genie would give you only one wish, which would you pick, and why?
16. Are you afraid to fly?
17. Tell me who you think are the 3 greatest musicians in the world? Why?
18. If you could change 3 things about yourself, what would they be?
19. If you found a wallet on the street, what would you do?
20. What are the qualities that make a good friend?
21. What was your favorite toy when you were little?
22. What do you say to comfort yourself when something scares you (like when a plane is bumpy, or when you are in a scary place?)
23. If you paid your bill at a restaurant and the waiter gave you too much change, would you tell him/her?
24. Name the 3 movie stars you most admire.
25. Have you ever imitated something you saw in a movie? What was it?
26. Name a TV or movie star that you think is lame.
27. Do you think it's important to get physical education in school? Why or why not?
28. What is the most enjoyable thing your family has done together in the last year?
29. What do you think is beyond the stars?
30. What is the nicest thing a friend has ever done for you?
31. Why do you, or don't you, like action movies?
32. Name 2 things we should do for a fun activity?
33. What sport (that you haven't tried) do you think you would be good at? Why?
34. If you could visit any place in the world, where would it be?
35. Do you believe in aliens? If not, why? If so, what do you think they are like?
36. If you were going to have a weird pet, what would it be? Why?
37. If you could look like anyone, who would it be? Why?
38. Do you think "honesty is the best policy"? Why or why not?

39. What have you done, in school or sports that you are most proud of?
40. Do you think girls look better with or without makeup? Why?
41. Do you think it's bad, okay, or good for guys to cry at movies? Why?
42. Have you ever had a dream that really scared you? What was it about?
43. Can you describe the most beautiful place you have ever visited?
44. What kinds of things on TV and in movies make you laugh?
45. Tell me about your favorite movies of all time and why you like them so much.
46. Do you feel you are as intelligent as most of your friends? Why or why not?
47. What is the scariest movie you've ever seen? Why?
48. Have you ever gotten really lost? If so, tell me about it. How did you feel?
49. How much TV a day do you think a kid should watch?
50. At what age do you think a kid should be able to watch any program on TV?
51. Tell me what you think is good, or bad, about rap music.
52. What is the grossest thing you can think of?
53. What's your most embarrassing moment?
54. Is there anybody in history that you have read about that you would like to be?
55. Tell me 3 things you remember about kindergarten?
56. What is popular in your grade? What do you think makes it popular?
57. What's the best thing you do?
58. If you knew a friend of yours had stolen something, what would you do about it?
59. If you were on a basketball team... would you rather score 50 points and lose, or score 10 points and win?
60. What are the first 3 things you would do if you were elected President?
61. If you could trade lives with somebody you know, who would it be?
62. How do you think you would feel if you thought you were going to be the first person to meet someone from outer space? What would you say or ask?
63. What would you do if you were invisible for a day?
64. If you won \$1 million in a lottery, what would you do with the money?
65. What is the nicest thing you've ever done for another person, group, or animal?
66. If you could give \$1 million to a particular charity, which would you pick?
67. If you could be a cast member on any TV show, which would you pick?
68. Who do you think you are most like in your family? Why?
69. Who is the funniest relative in your family? Why?
70. Ice cream sundae or banana split? If split, what 3 flavors would you choose?