

**HANDOUT 5B****Questions That May Lead to Useful Information**

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Which questions do you think will help you get useful information about your child? Place an *I* on the line preceding those questions. Which do you think will result in angry feelings for both you and your child? Place an *A* on the line preceding those questions.

- \_\_\_\_ 1. "What? I suppose you don't have any homework again?" (Disapproving tone of voice)
- \_\_\_\_ 2. "What kinds of homework assignments are you getting these days?"
- \_\_\_\_ 3. "You're not seeing John again, are you?"
- \_\_\_\_ 4. "What were you thinking, talking to the teacher like that?" (Irritated tone of voice)
- \_\_\_\_ 5. "I'm afraid to ask who you went to the park with today."
- \_\_\_\_ 6. "Who did you play video games with today online?"
- \_\_\_\_ 7. "I haven't talked to you for a while. Whom are you spending time with these days?"
- \_\_\_\_ 8. "Were you really upset when you were talking to the teacher?"
- \_\_\_\_ 9. "Who did you play with today at school?"
- \_\_\_\_ 10. "What did you do when you were over at Sarah's house?"