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What does your child do that makes you smile?

This sets the tone for a respectful conversation with families.

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What does your child do that makes them smile?

This helps you understand the youth's favorite activities, strengths, reason they chose FIRST, etc.

3

What makes your child angry or sad?

This lets you know what triggers there may be to behaviors so you can anticipate them.

4

What does it look like when your child is angry or sad?

This will let you know what you will see if a youth is angry or sad (gestures, facial expressions, etc).

5

What should we do when that happens?

This lets you know what calming techniques work for the youth.

Remember:

You don't need to know a diagnosis!

You just need to know what will help the team member to be successful on your team.