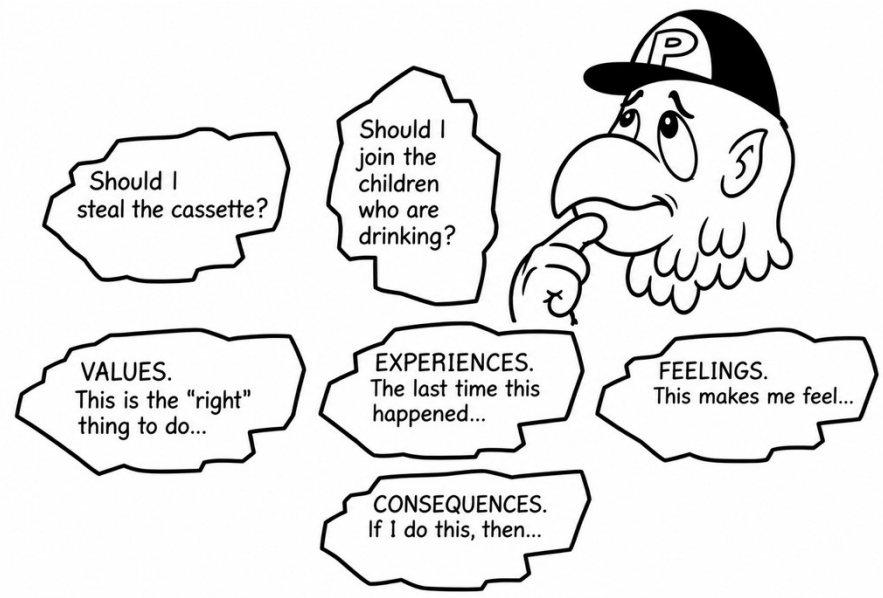
Lesson 19: Decisions! Decisions! Decisions!

When you were younger, most decisions were made for you by other people. Now you are older and you have more freedom, responsibility and choices. You have important decisions to make.



Decisions do not just happen. Many factors are processed by the human brain. Some decisions are simple: What clothes should I wear today? Should I buy a patty or a bun and cheese? Some decisions however require more time and thought because the consequences are more serious.

PUTTING IT TOGETHER

Put your creative brain to work!

As the Conflict Counsellor for your class, you receive letters from students who need help in making decisions. Write an "I-Care" reply to each of these letters:

Dear "'I- Care", I caught my best friend writing on the wall at school. This morning our principal talked to us about keeping our shool dean. Mrs. Adams, our school cleaner, has had to serb the wall three times this week. I hate to tell on my friend, but I know what she did is wrong.

Sincerely,

Caught Too.

Dear "I- Care", Some of my friends in my class want to copy from my homework. I do not want them to stop being my piends but | think it is not right to let them copy my homework. They should do their own work as I did mine. Please help me this problem.

Sincerely,

Needs Help.

YOUR CHALLENGE!

Write a "Dear I-Care" letter. Exchange it with a classmate. Write replies to each other's letters. Share and discuss what each of you wrote.

As a peacemaker I learned

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