

Asking Why

Communication Unit for Special Education



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Preview

Sometimes I get confused.



Sometimes I may want to ask WHY?



My Mom may tell me to try a new food.



Why?

18 page social story

It is okay to ask someone why when you would like more information.



Your Mom may tell you if taste this new food, you may like it.



Sometimes, people do not want to answer why.



That is okay.

Front of card

Asking Why



Back of card

Asking Why

1. It is ok to ask why
2. It is ok if people don't answer
3. It is ok if they say "because"
4. I will only ask why one time


Why Cut and Paste worksheets

- Each worksheet addresses 3 common "why" questions students ask
- Review each question and have students choose the best answer from the choices below
- This should spark some good conversations
- Differentiation
 - If students need more visual structure, color code the empty box and the correct answer choice
- Option
 - Print onto cardstock, laminate and bind into a book
 - Students can use a reusable and independent activity

10 worksheets

Name: _____


Why



do I need to raise my hand?

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Why



do I need to brush my teeth?

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Why




do I need to sing happy birthday?

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Name: _____


Why



do I need to go to bed?

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Why



do I need to take a bath?

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Why




can't I cheat?

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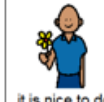
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Why




do I need to wear a coat?

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it is nice to do


Why



do I need to eat vegetables?


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Why




do I need to go to the doctor?


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keep me healthy




it is cold outside



make me strong

Name: _____


Why



do I need to go to school?

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Why



do I need to tie my shoes?


→

Why




do I need to pick up my toys?


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so I can find my things



so I can learn



so I don't trip



so I won't be tired



it is not fair



so I am not smelly