

10 FUN WAYS TO CREATE MORE COMMUNICATION

= without asking more questions 

Simple, playful ideas to create something worth communicating about.

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Comment

Say something worth reacting to.

"That was SO weird!"

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Share your opinion

Give them something to agree with, disagree with or add to.

"I think the red one is better."

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Make a deliberate mistake

Get something wrong on purpose and give them a reason to correct you.

"Your shoe goes on your hand... right?"

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Offer a real choice

Let the choice actually matter. Include options like 'something else' or 'neither'.

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Do something unexpected

Be silly, change something, surprise them or do something that invites a reaction.

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Create a problem to solve together

Make room for ideas, help and problem-solving.

"Uh-oh... this lid won't open."

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Give them information someone else needs

Let them be the person who knows. They might tell someone what happened, what you need, where something is or what comes next.

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Follow their interest

Bring in a related photo, funny fact, object, video or activity and see where the conversation goes.

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Give them a meaningful role

Let them choose the music, direct the game, order at the café, decide where to go or tell everyone what happens next.

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Create something to talk about together

Cook it. Build it. Plan it. Watch it. Compare it. Rate it. Choose it. Then talk about what happened.



While you're doing these... 



Pause.



Wait.



Notice.



Respond.



Follow their lead.



The goal isn't to make someone communicate.
It's to create something worth communicating about.

