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Job #1 as a parent is to make sure that our kids grow up _____
_____.

Our children’s ministry or student ministry spend about _____ hours a year with your kids. To make a comparison, the average fourth-grade boy we’re trying to reach this year will spend _____ hours studying math, and over _____ hours playing video games. But those same kids’ parents, who drop off a son or daughter to participate in our 40 hours of programming this year, have approximately _____ hours of unplanned time at home with the same child.

Fathers, do not exasperate your children; instead, bring them up in the training and instruction of the Lord.
Ephesians 6:4

Hear, O Israel: The LORD our God, the LORD is one. Love the LORD your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength. “The Shema functioned as Israel’s pledge of allegiance. Whenever Israelites recited this pledge, they acknowledged that the God who redeemed them was also the God who was active in their everyday life!” These commandments that I give you today are to be upon your hearts. Impress them on your children. Talk about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up. Tie them as symbols on your hands and bind them on your foreheads. Write them on the doorframes of your houses and on your gates. **Deuteronomy 6:4-9**

We need to have _____ conversations
about what loving God means in their real lives.

Seven Crucial Conversations:

1. The “_____” Talk
2. The “_____” Talk

But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

Matthew 6:33

3. The “_____” Talk
4. The “_____” Talk

“I love coaching football, and winning a Super Bowl was a goal I’ve had for a long time. But it has never been my purpose in life. My purpose in life is simply to _____. We have to be careful that we don’t let the pursuit of our life’s goals, no matter how important they seem, cause us to lose sight of our purpose. I coach football. But the good I can do to _____ along the way is my real purpose.” - Tony Dungy

5. The “_____” Talk

A man of many companions may come to ruin, but there is a friend who sticks closer than a brother.

Proverbs 18:24

6. The “_____” Talk

7. The “_____” Talk