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Each of the items below describes things college students sometimes ask of other people. Please imagine that you are in each situation. You will be asked to answer the following questions:

1) How concerned or anxious would you be about how the other person would respond?

2) How do you think the other person would be likely to respond?

3. You ask your parents for help in deciding what programs to apply to.

How concerned or anxious would you be over whether or not your parents would want to help you? very unconcerned 1 2 3 4 5 6 very concerned

I would expect that they would want to help me. very unlikely 1 2 3 4 5 6 very likely

8. You approach a close friend to talk after doing or saying something that seriously upset him/her.

How concerned or anxious would you be over whether or not your friend would want to talk with you? very unconcerned 1 2 3 4 5 6 very concerned

I would expect that he/she would want to talk with me to try to work things out. very unlikely 1 2 3 4 5 6 very likely

10. After graduation, you can't find a job and ask your parents if you can live at home for a while.

How concerned or anxious would you be over whether or not your parents would want you to come home? very unconcerned 1 2 3 4 5 6 very concerned

I would expect I would be welcome at home. very unlikely 1 2 3 4 5 6 very likely

12. You call your boyfriend/girlfriend after a bitter argument and tell him/her you want to see him/her.

How concerned or anxious would you be over whether or not your boyfriend/girlfriend would want to see you? very unconcerned 1 2 3 4 5 6 very concerned

I would expect that he/she would want to see me. very unlikely 1 2 3 4 5 6 very likely

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14. You ask your parents to come to an occasion important to you.

How concerned or anxious would you be over whether or not your parents would want to come?	very unconcerned					very concerned
	1	2	3	4	5	6
I would expect that my parents would want to come.	very unlikely					very likely
	1	2	3	4	5	6

15. You ask a friend to do you a big favor.

How concerned or anxious would you be over whether or not your friend would do this favor?	very unconcerned					very concerned
	1	2	3	4	5	6
I would expect that he/she would willingly do this favor for me.	very unlikely					very likely
	1	2	3	4	5	6

16. You ask your boyfriend/girlfriend if he/she really loves you.

How concerned or anxious would you be over whether or not your boyfriend/girlfriend would say yes?	very unconcerned					very concerned
	1	2	3	4	5	6
I would expect that he/she would answer yes sincerely.	very unlikely					very likely
	1	2	3	4	5	6

17. You go to a party and notice someone on the other side of the room and then you ask them to dance.

How concerned or anxious would you be over whether or not the person would want to dance with you?	very unconcerned					very concerned
	1	2	3	4	5	6
I would expect that he/she would want to dance with me.	very unlikely					very likely
	1	2	3	4	5	6