

Adapting to Environments

Adapting one's behavior to reflect the values or norms of a particular environment or situation can be a difficult skill for school-age children to master. To support children's learning, it is important to reflect on how you use this skill in your own life.

Think of environments you are a regular part of and what kind of behavior changes you make to reflect the values or norms of these environments. Record your thoughts in the chart below.

Environment	Modified Behavior
<i>Public Library</i>	<i>When I enter a public library, I turn the sound off on my cell phone and speak in a soft voice.</i>
<i>Friend's Home</i>	<i>When at my friend Rina's house, I take my shoes off upon entering even though I keep them on at home.</i>