# **After School Conversation Starters**

#### **GENERAL DAILY REFLECTIONS**

- 1. What was the best part of your day?
- 2. Did anything make you laugh today?
- 3. Was anything hard or confusing today?
- 4. Tell me one thing you learned that you didn't know yesterday.
- 5. What's one thing you wish had gone differently today?

### **SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL CHECK-IN**

- 6. Who did you play or sit with today?
- 7. Did you see anyone being kind or unkind?
- 8. Is there someone at school you'd like to get to know better?
- 9. Did you help anyone today—or did someone help you?
- 10. How did you feel most of the day—happy, frustrated, excited, bored?

#### **CLASSROOM & TEACHER**

- 11. What did your teacher talk about the most today?
- 12. Did your teacher do anything funny or interesting?
- 13. Was there a rule you didn't understand or thought was silly?
- 14. Did you get to answer any questions today?
- 15. What do you think your teacher likes most about your class?

## **SUBJECTS & ACTIVITIES**

- 16. What was your favorite subject or activity today?
- 17. Did you do anything in art/music/library/gym that surprised you?
- 18. Which part of the day felt the longest? Why?
- 19. If you could skip one subject, what would it be?
- 20. If you could teach your class one thing, what would it be?

#### **LUNCH & RECESS**

- 21. What did you eat for lunch—and would you eat it again?
- 22. What games did you play at recess?
- 23. Did you see anyone sitting alone at lunch or recess?
- 24. If you could invite a new person to sit with you, who would it be?
- 25. If recess had no rules, what would you do?

#### **FOR FUN**

- 26. If your school day were a movie, what would the title be?
- 27. If you were principal for the day, what would you change?
- 28. If today had a theme song, what would it be?
- 29. Which part of school would you keep if it were a weekend?
- 30. If you could bring any animal to school, which one would you pick and why?

