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1. List three **positive** and three **negative** things about television.

2. Circle an answer for each of the following.

Why do you watch TV?

Because there's nothing better to do.

Because it's entertaining and fun.

Because it's educational.

Other—

What would you do if a friend called during your favorite show?

Return the call later, after the program.

Talk on the telephone while watching the program.

Turn the set off and talk to my friend.

Other—

What would you do if your TV broke?

Try to talk my parents into buying another one immediately.

Find something else to do, to occupy my time.

Have a huge withdrawal.

Other—

3. Are the following statements true for you **all of the time (A)**, **some of the time (S)**, or **never (N)**?

___ i watch over 20 hours of TV per week.

___ I watch TV even though I should be doing something else, like homework.

___ I'm influenced by commercials.

___ I'm conscious of my TV watching time.

___ I watch shows that contain a lot of sex and violence.

___ I watch music videos.

___ I turn on the TV as soon as I walk in the door.

___ I study with the TV on.

4. Decide which of the following Bible verses apply to TV and how.

Exodus 20:3-6

1 Corinthians 10:31

Joshua 14:1-2

Galatians 2:1

