

How Will You Decide? (Page 1)

Name _____



Decision-Making Steps

7

If it was a bad choice, can anything be changed?
If not, what did you learn from this mistake?

6

After awhile, evaluate your choice. Was it a good one?
If not, go to Step 7.

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Choose option that seems best.

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Pray for guidance.

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Discuss options with your parents or other trusted adviser.

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List the pros, cons, and consequences for each option.

1

List all of your options.

Choices have consequences, sometimes good and sometimes bad. There are steps you can take to help you make good choices. On page 2, apply these steps as needed for the scenarios presented. Remember, do not rush when making an important decision.

Scenarios

1. Should I go to summer camp or spend a week on my uncle's farm this summer?
2. Should I go to my sister's dance recital on Friday or accept the invitation to a birthday party?
3. Should I compete in track or softball this spring?