

Parent Reflection Page: Rob Weiss

Grade Level: Middle and High School

Use this reflection page to explore the thoughts and ideas expressed by Rob Weiss in the Deeper Look Video on cyberporn.

1. Do you agree or disagree with Rob Weiss regarding how sexual issues should “be handled in the same way that any other issue that would come up in the house or for a family”? Why or why not?

2. What is the usual process your family uses to deal with issues such as the ones that Rob Weiss names (smoking pot, underage drinking, smoking cigarettes, etc.)? Do you have calm, open conversations? Do you punish first and talk later? Do you ignore problems? Explain.

3. Rob Weiss says that sexual issues can generate shame, confusion, and fear if they are “put on a pedestal” and treated differently than other problems. What does the phrase “put on a pedestal” mean to you? How do parents and families put talking about sex “on a pedestal”?

4. Rob Weiss’s closing message to parents is to talk about sex “openly with supportive conversation and limits and boundaries.” How would you start an open conversation with your child? What limits and boundaries would you set? Create your opening statement for your supportive conversation about sex with your child.
