

## **MENTAL HEALTH CONVERSATION STARTER CARDS**

What's the hardest thing you're dealing with at the moment?



What's your favorite way to relax or de-stress?



Taking care of your mental health is super important.

Have you seen or heard anything about it at school or online?



I'm curious about what's making you stressed or anxious.

What's been on your mind?
How do you currently manage it?



I've felt anxious and depressed at times. I've wondered if you might experience that sometimes, too. What would it be like to talk to me about your feelings?



I've heard being your age can be really tough for stress and anxiety. What do you think? Do you and your friends talk about it?



I love you and care about you. What's the best way we can regularly connect about these things? Or how can I help/ encourage you going forward?



Instructions: Cut out these cards for whenever you need some help talking to your teen.