



Questions To Ask Babysitter References (Checklist)

- How Did You Meet Your Babysitter?
- What Are Their Worst and Best Qualities?
- How Would You Describe Them?
- How Do They Respond To Feedback?
- Can You Speak About The Babysitter's Communication Skills?
- Was The House Normally In The Same Shape You Left It?
- Were There Any Emergency Situations While They Babysat Your Kids?
- Did They Have A Specific Routine With Your Kids?



- Did They Ever Arrive Late Or Miss A Babysitting Job?
- Did They Have Any Difficulties Carrying Out Their Responsibilities?
- Did They Ever Babysit Overnight Or Drive Kids On Special Trips?
- In What Capacity Did They Work For You, and For How Long?
- Did You Ever See Any Signs of A Drug or Alcohol Problem?
- What Is The Sitter's Discipline Style? Does It Agree With Your Philosophy?
- Why Did The They Leave The Job?
- How Much Direction Did You Give The Sitter, And How Independent Were They?
- Would You Recommend Them For Childcare Work?
- What Advice Can You Give To Make Sure My Relationship With Them Goes Smoothly?
- If You Could Change One Thing About Them, What Would It Be?
- Is There Anything Else You'd Like To Add?