

APPENDIX F

Value Auction Scale

Description

You have Rs 300/- with you. Look over the list of behaviours and characteristics in the scale. Decide which of them you would like to “buy” for your children. You may bid as much as Rs. 300/- or as little as Rs. 20/- for each value.

Childhood Behaviors	Amount Allocated
1. A child who is loyal to me at all times.	
2. A child whose feelings are never hurt.	
3. A child who is curious and asks many questions.	
4. A child who always listens to me.	
5. A child who never talks back.	
6. A child who is independent.	
7. A child who has many friends.	
8. A child who can control his or her temper.	
9. A child who stands up for himself or herself, even if it means fighting.	
10. A child who is a leader, not a follower.	
11. A child who looks good.	
12. A child more like me than like his or her mother/father.	
13. A child who do well in school.	
14. A child who is physically fit and healthy.	
15. A child who will follow my religious beliefs.	
16. A child who is respectful of me and other adults.	
17. A child who feels good about himself or herself.	
18. A child who is honest.	
19. A child who do well at sports.	
20. A child who is affectionate.	
21. A child who is strong-willed and purposeful.	

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Childhood Behaviors	Amount Allocated
22. A child who always feels free to approach me with problems.	
23. A child who contributes in preservation of environment & natural resources.	
24. A child who keeps self busy.	
25. A child who is easygoing and flexible.	
26. A child whose behaviour makes me feel proud.	
27. A child who can take care of himself or herself.	
28. A child with a good sense of humor.	
29. A child who stands up for his or her beliefs.	
30. A child who is adventuresome and daring.	
31. A child who never fears or hates me.	
32. A child who is popular in school.	
33. A child who has a lot of hobbies.	
34. A child who is interested in his or her culture.	
35. A child who is self-disciplined.	