

Aliyah and Jonathan - Scenario 1:

Aliyah and Jonathan go to the same school and both have crushes on each other. However, Jonathan's parents don't allow him to date. They think that he is too young to date and want him to stay focused on school and his extracurricular activities. Aliyah asked Jonathan to go with her to the upcoming dance. Jonathan really likes Aliyah, but has to say no since he's not allowed to date.

Aliyah: Hey Jonathan. I'm glad we got this second together after class to talk. I wanted to see if you wanted to ask me to the dance Friday night?

Jonathan: _____

Aliyah: Your parents never have to find out. Just tell them you're going to a friend's house or something.

Jonathan: _____

Aliyah: Don't you want to go with me? Come on, we'd have a lot of fun

Jonathan: _____

Aliyah: Ok. You're right. I respect that.

Carlos and Samuel - Scenario 2:

Carlos and Samuel have been best friends for a couple of years. Samuel can't believe that Carlos won't ask out Alessandra. Carlos likes Alessandra, but he isn't ready to have a girlfriend. Carlos doesn't want to tell Samuel this because he feels embarrassed about it and he doesn't want Samuel to make fun of him. Samuel keeps pressuring Carlos to ask her out. In this scenario, Carlos will not talk bad about Alessandra to Samuel in order to get Samuel to leave him alone because he likes Alessandra.

Samuel: Hey man, how's it going? I saw Alessandra looking at you again at lunch today. Why aren't you asking her to hang out?

Carlos: _____

Samuel: That's ridiculous. She obviously likes you and you like her. What are you waiting for? Ask her out!

Carlos: _____

Samuel: If you don't ask her out, someone else will. Then you're going to be real bummed. You can't just keep waiting to ask her out.

Carlos: _____

Samuel: Ok, you're right. I'm sorry. I respect that.

Jermaine and Mei - Scenario 3:

Adisa and Mei are seventh grade girls who live next door to each other. Adisa invited Mei over to hang out on a Friday night. Adisa's older brother and some of his friends are also hanging out when she arrives at Adisa's house. Mei didn't know that the older teens would be there and they would be drinking. Jermaine, a boy from school who is in 8th grade is also at Adisa's house and has had a couple of beers. Jermaine asks Mei to go upstairs with him so they can go somewhere quieter to talk. Mei thinks Jermaine is really cute and likes him. She doesn't like that he's been drinking and doesn't want to go upstairs or anywhere alone with him.

Jermaine: Hey Mei! I'm so glad to see you. I was hoping that you would be here. I've been really wanting to hang out with you. Man, it's so loud here. Let's go upstairs where it's quieter so we can talk.

Mei: _____

Jermaine: I respect that girl, but it's so loud. I can barely hear you. Let's go somewhere so we can be alone.

Mei: _____

Jermaine: You are so pretty. I'm so glad to be hanging out with you. I wish I could hear you better, though. Please let's just go upstairs so we can talk easier.

Mei: _____

Jermaine: I respect that. You're right.