

How would you respond?

For this to be beneficial you need to really be honest and think about how you would respond in the situation. We all know how we should respond.

1. You are tired and hot. You have just finished a hard job and you find out that your group did it wrong and you will have to do it all over again.
 - a. You complain to the leader, go inside to get a drink, and avoid doing work the rest of the day.
 - b. You complain to your peers and the leader about having to do the job over again, continue to work, but with a bad attitude and lack of effort
 - c. You only complain to one close friend and continue to do the work, and struggle to have a positive attitude
 - d. You understand that work is sometimes that way and look at it as an opportunity to offer your best to the people you are serving
2. You are all prepared to do a certain job or ministry and at the last minute everything changes and you find yourself doing something you were not prepared to do or necessarily wanted to do.
 - a. You try to force the issue of you doing your original job
 - b. You try to get out of your new job and do something else
 - c. You do your new job but struggle to keep a positive attitude and every so often complain about wanting to do something else
 - d. You do the new job and encourage others to view this as an opportunity to be stretched and grow
3. You get your rooming assignment and find out you are staying in the same room with someone who you do not get along with.
 - a. You do everything within your power to make changes to the rooming assignments
 - b. You complain to everyone, and decide that you will room with him or her but you will not give him or her the time of day when it comes to your friendship
 - c. You are sad but stick with the plan
 - d. You are bummed at first but then decide to make your best effort to look past your differences and possibly become friends
4. You hear about another group getting to do something fun while you feel like you haven't had any fun.
 - a. You complain about not getting have any fun and skip out on a scheduled event to go have your own fun
 - b. You ask your leader, "Why don't we get to do what everyone else is doing?"
 - c. You understand that every group gets to experience different things and just decide that your group is no fun
 - d. You understand that each group is given different assignments and try to make the assignment you are given more fun
5. On the way to Mexico your group comes up with a plan to sit in assigned seats.
 - a. When the leader is not looking switch seats with someone so you can sit where you want to
 - b. Complain about it being stupid and argue for it to be changed at every stop
 - c. You choose to just sit in your seat and be quiet and not talk to anyone
 - d. You decide to make the most of it and come up for a way to make it a positive experience for everyone
6. You are being hosted by a very loving family who has gone out of their way to make you feel at home but they do not have hot water for showering.
 - a. You try to shower at another host's house to have hot water
 - b. You take the cold water but complain to your roommates and the rest of the team about your cold showers

- c. You take the cold showers but always say something negative about just before you go
 - d. You turn it into a game with your roommates and see who can take the longest cold shower and make sure you do not say anything to the group negative because you want to honor your family
7. All day long you have been craving a nice meal, but when the bus comes to a stop you are at McDonalds. AGAIN!
- a. You protest and sit in the van instead of eating
 - b. You ask if you can walk a mile down the road to Wendy's
 - c. You eat at McDonald's but complain the entire time about how McDonalds is inferior to Wendy's
 - d. You decide to go to McDonalds order a happy meal, play with the toy, and jump in the ballpit
8. You see other Christian Mexicans wearing certain clothes that seem more comfortable than our dress code.
- a. The next day you wear what you want even though it breaks the dress code
 - b. You point out to your leader that the other Christian Mexicans are wearing clothes that are against the dress code and ask why can't we wear that?
 - c. You complain to your peers
 - d. You pay no attention to it and remind yourself about why we are there
9. Your youth leader snaps and starts ranting and raving about respecting each other.
- a. Ignore him or her for the rest of the trip and talk to your peers about how to make the trip more miserable for him or her
 - b. You cross your arms and ignore everything he or she has to say and decide to take it personal
 - c. You make a few negative comments to your peers and forget about it
 - d. You look past the words to understand why he or she is saying what they are saying
10. You are completely scared out of your mind when it comes to talking in front of people and your youth leader asks you to share your testimony.
- a. You run away and avoid him or her for the rest of the day
 - b. You pretend like you don't understand English
 - c. You act like you are sick and need to take a nap
 - d. You ask for advice on what to say and do your best
11. You forget that you are not allowed to take personal media players on the trip and accidentally pack your IPOD.
- a. You disregard the rules and decide to play it anyways
 - b. You hide it and only listen to when your leader is not around
 - c. You decide that you will tell your leader about it after the long road trip
 - d. You give it to you leader and listen to the music that everyone else is listening to

Total Your Score

#A's	_____ x 4 = _____	11 – 15 Excellent
#B's	_____ x 3 = _____	16 – 20 Good
#C's	_____ x 2 = _____	20 – 28 Okay
#D's	_____ x 1 = _____	29 – 35 Poor
	Total _____	36 – 44 Bad