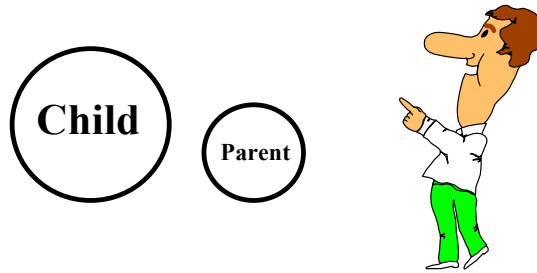


Parallel Learning Technology

The Adolescent “Big Circle”

The second perception of relationship is experienced in adolescence. The child is trying to control the parent and everyone else. The child continually tries to **get** into the “**big circle**”.



This is a perspective of, “**I don't have to.**” The focus is on what the adolescent **does not** want.

(Excerpt: Resolving Stress and Conflict in Relationships, Chapter 1)