

Using context, draw a line to match the phrases from the text with their meanings to better understand what you read.

Househusbands

Give less importance to something

To land a gig

Increasing

Breadwinner

Exchange

On the rise

Men who stay home and do chores

Furthermore

To get a job

Excel in

In addition

Put on the back burner

Do well in something

Swap

Someone who earns money for a family

## Reading

What jobs does she typically do around the house?

### The Rise of Househusbands

We have all heard the terms "housewife" and "stay-at-home-mom", but what about "househusband" or "stay-at-home-dad"? These names are becoming more and more common as women pursue professional careers and land important gigs. When a couple has a child in today's economic conditions, usually both the mother and the father are forced to work. But sometimes families can choose which parent should stay home, and which should be the breadwinner for the family. This doesn't necessarily mean that the parent who stays home earns no money; with technology on the rise, it is quite possible to work from home using the internet.

Studies have demonstrated that there are several advantages to a woman being the primary source of income for a family. First, women on average have been shown to be more fiscally responsible, cautiously and carefully taking care of the family's finances. Furthermore, women have been known to multi-task better than men; in other words, they can do several activities at once. This helps most women to be able to balance work and family more successfully than most men.

A man who sacrifices his career to give his partner the opportunity to excel in hers is an example of gender equality. For many generations and in many cultures, women have put their professional dreams on the back burner to take care of their household. When couples are able to swap their roles

of "breadwinner" and "homemaker", there is a new-found level of respect between them. Not only that, but a man also ends up appreciating all women more when he shares the work that so many of them still do (while sometimes even keeping up with a full-time professional job).

So ladies, don't give up your career ambitions. The sky is the limit for you too!!

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### What is the author of the blog's view on househusbands?

1. to show the way how men can do better the house chores.

- 2.to express the way how women and men works in home and out of it.
- 3.to show how men and women can do the tasks at home and support between themselves.
- 4.to express how children suffer damages when parents are not at home

**check the correct answer. choose the advantages of a woman being the breadwinner and a man staying at home**

- 1.women have demonstrated that they can do everything that they want
- 2.women are more fiscally responsible, cautiously and carefully taking care of the family's finances.
- 3.women give their whole salary to men who save the money and they sometimes buy beers
- 4.women can do several activities at once

### **Listening**

**according to the listening choose the sentences mentioned correctly**

- 1.Karen has been studying for 6 semesters
- 2.Jeff has a major in immigration law.
- 3.Karen has been sleeping just 5 hours since she started studying
4. Jeff is thinking about getting a PHD
6. Jeff helps immigrants to be citizen in the country where they are.

**Listen to a professor from the United States talk about studying a Master's or PhD there. Decide and write if each statement is (True) or (False).**

- Not many people know about the opportunity to get a Master's and PhD in the U.S. at no cost.
- There is one type of assistantship available at U.S. universities.

- In a teaching assistantship, you help a professor gather data.
- If you study a Master's in Sociology, you can teach basic psychology.
- With an assistantship, your tuition is free, and you can also make some money