

Unit 1. FAMILY LIFE

I. Choose the right words to the pictures.

feed the cat

do the shopping

lay the table

cook

bathe the baby

do the washing-up



1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____



4. _____ 5. _____ 6. _____

II. Choose the sentence that best describes the picture.



1. A. Bathing a newborn baby is never an easy task as it requires skill and experience.
B. Mrs. Laura and her ten-year-old daughter go to the swimming pool every day.
C. Shaking a baby is believed to have bad impacts on his/her development.



2. A. The man is taking out the rubbish.
B. Rubbish should be thrown away every day or it may cause awful smell.
C. The child is setting the table for dinner.



3. A. The girl is ironing her clothes.
B. Clothes are being folded neatly.
C. Susan is putting clothes in an airing cupboard.



4. A. Mopping the garden path is David's favourite activity.
B. Though David has a lot of spare time, he hardly helps his parents do the gardening.
C. At the weekend, David usually helps his grandmother mow the lawn.



5. A. Many children are too lazy to help their parents with housework.
B. The girl is doing some cleaning with her mother.
C. The girl is doing the cooking while her mother is sweeping the kitchen floor.

III. Choose the correct options to complete the following sentences.

1. They _____ rugby twice a week.
A. play
B. are playing
2. _____ breakfast every morning?
A. Are you having
B. Do you have
3. It _____, so they have to cancel the horse race today.
A. rains
B. is raining
4. Our tour guide _____ three languages.
A. speaks
B. is speaking
5. We _____ the way. I wish we brought a map.
A. don't know
B. aren't knowing
6. Listen! The DJ _____ my favourite song.
A. plays
B. is playing
7. _____ the food at this restaurant?
A. Do you like
B. Are you liking

8. I _____, I _____.

A. am not laughing - am crying

B. don't laugh - cry

IV. Complete the sentences using the Present Simple or the Present Continuous.

1. I (leave) _____ home at 7 o'clock every morning.

2. She (work) _____ in the Sales Department in London, but at the moment she (do) _____ a training course in Bristol.

3. Linda (clean) _____ her house every weekend.

4. He (try) _____ very hard in every game that he (play) _____.

5. Excuse me. I think that you (sit) _____ in my seat.

6. (you, listen) _____ to the radio very often?

7. Don't talk to me now. I (write) _____ an important letter.

8. Why (they, drive) _____ on the left in Britain?

9. It usually (rain) _____ here a lot, but it (not rain) _____ now.

10. What are you doing? - I (bake) _____ a cake at the moment.

V. Decide whether the following sentences are correct or incorrect.

1. He's having a bath at the moment.

A. Correct

B. Incorrect

2. He's hating doing the heavy lifting.

A. Correct

B. Incorrect

3. My roommate and I always share the housework equally.

A. Correct

B. Incorrect

4 Jenny usually eats out because she is not knowing how to cook.

A. Correct

B. Incorrect

5. I usually do the laundry, but I'm sick today so my brother does it.

A. Correct

B. Incorrect

6. She's believing that men have to do housework as well.

A. Correct

B. Incorrect

7. We are painting the living room for Christmas. It's really hard work.

A. Correct

B. Incorrect

8. We get up at seven every morning, and then we are having coffee and a small breakfast.

A. Correct

B. Incorrect

9. Sometimes I am watching American films on TV, but I'm not understanding the words.

A. Correct

B. Incorrect

10. You do not eat much today. Are you ill?

A. Correct

B. Incorrect