I can understand a text about pocket money and housework. **Reading** **6.5**

1 Look at the photo and the title. What do you think the text is about?

2 3.12 Read and listen to the article. Which people get pocket money regularly?

3 Read the article again. Circle T (true) or F (false).

1 Hannah always works for her pocket money. T / (F)
2 She had a special job last week. T / F
3 Jodie's brothers don't help around the house. T / F
4 She got money from her parents last weekend. T / F
5 Dylan never works for his pocket money. T / F
6 He doesn't have a lot of free time. T / F

4 Find the Past Simple forms of these verbs in the text. Write them in your notebook.

~~buy~~ do get give go make put

buy – bought



Pocket money

Do you get pocket money every week? Do you work for it? What do you do with your money? We asked some teenagers, and here are their answers ...

Hannah, 12

I usually get pocket money every week. I don't work for it, but I sometimes get extra money for special jobs. I looked after my little cousin a week ago and got £10 from my aunt! I put the money in my money box. I'm saving for a new phone.

Jodie, 13

My brothers and I all help in the house. We walk the dog, wash the dishes and empty the bin. But we don't get pocket money for these jobs. We get pocket money when we need it. Last Saturday my mum gave me some money for new clothes. I went into town and bought a pair of trainers. They're cool!

Dylan, 11

I get pocket money every month, and yes, I sometimes work for it. Last Saturday I washed my dad's car and did the shopping. I made pizza too! That was unusual. Usually, I make my bed and tidy my room, but I don't help much around the house. I don't have time!

5 3.13 Listen and repeat. Label the pictures. Use the Vocabulary box to help you.

Vocabulary Jobs at home

do the shopping empty the bin
look after your brother/sister
make your bed tidy your room
walk the dog wash the car
wash the dishes



1 *wash the dishes*



2 _____



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6 _____



7 _____



8 _____

6 Work in pairs. Tell your partner when you last did each job in Exercise 5. Then swap roles.

I washed the dishes three days ago.

7 Write three sentences about your partner.

Lily washed the dishes three days ago.

8 Ask and answer the questions in pairs.

1 Do you get pocket money?
2 How often do you get it?
3 Do you work for it?
4 What do you buy with your money?

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