EXERCISE 11

Read the passage carefully. Then answer the following question.

Laila bt Sidek proved that poverty and family problems did not stop her from succeeding in her studies. Laila scored straight As in the recent UPSR examination. She was selected as the best pupil in her school for her achievements in her studies and co-curricular activities. Her headmaster was very proud of her.

Her father, a labourer, works hard to support the family of six. In the morning, he taps rubber trees. In the afternoon, he does carpentry to earn extra income. Her mother is a housewife. She helps **to make ends meet** by selling nasi lemak. She also weaves mats to sell.

Yesterday evening, when interviewed by three reporters, Laila said that she owed her success to her teachers and parents. By having group discussions with her friends and planning her time well, she managed to score good grades in her examinations.

1   How many members are there in Laila's family?

    A   Three
    B   Four
    C   Five
    D   Six

2   The phrase make ends meet shows that Laila's mother has _____

    A   achieved her hope
    B   planned the future
    C   a lot of money
    D   to do extra job

3   What did Laila do to achieve straight As in her UPSR?

    A   She had group discussions and managed her time well.
    B   She took part in the co-curricular activities.
    C   Her teachers helped with her homework.
    D   Her father supported the family.

4   To whom did she owe her success?