

Right/Responsibilities

Work is defined as an activity in which one exerts strength or facilities to or perform something.

Leisure is freedom provided by cessation of activities, especially time free from work or duties.

Wealth is defined as the abundance of valuable possessions or resources.

God established work as a normal routine of everyday living.

God's very first assignment to Adam in the Garden of Eden was to work the garden (Genesis 2:15).

However **menial** it may seem, work can be a means of **glorifying God** (Colossians 3:17; 1 Corinthians 10:31). In order to maintain a stable and united country, it is important to protect, promote and preserve a culture with a **good work ethic**.

A responsible person does what he or she promises to do. In that way, it's like being trustworthy. Your mom needs to know that if you tell her, you'll be home at a certain time, you'll be there. If you run into a problem, you'll call her on the phone. When people know that you're responsible, they don't have to worry so much about you.

Parents will usually give you **more freedom**, and teachers will usually give you **more privileges**. *Responsibility* helps you learn to be a leader - someone who starts things and keeps them going. It means taking responsibility for yourself, too - learning to think about choices and make good decisions about ways to act and things to do. Being responsible helps make the world a better place.

Do you try to keep yourself safe? Do you follow the rules at home and at school? Do you obey laws in your community? If you do, you're being responsible.

You also choose the way you treat the environment around you. Do you take care not to litter? Do you stop others from littering? Do you recycle paper, cans, or old socks? Do you treat animals with kindness? If you have a pet, do you feed and care for it?



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1. Match the meanings with the terms using the letters. [3]

Terms	Ans.	Meanings
wealth		A. activity in which one exert strength or facilities to or perform something
leisure		B. abundance of valuable possessions or resources
work		C. freedom provided by cessation of activities, especially time free from work or duties

2. Apart from work being an everyday routine, how is work associated with God? [2]

3. What should be the duty of a responsible person? [1]

4. From paragraph **four**, list TWO things a responsible person does. [2]

1. _____

2. _____

5. List TWO ways in which a responsible person takes care of the environment. [2]

1. _____

2. _____
