

ENGLISH 6

A family is like a circle.
The connection never ends,
and even if at times it breaks,
in time it always mends.

A family is like the stars.
Somehow they're always there.
Families are those who help,
who support and always care.

A family is like a book.
The ending's never clear,
but through the pages of the book,
their love is always near.

A family is many things.
With endless words that show
who they are and what they do
and how they teach you so you know.

But don't be weary if it's broken
or if through time it's been so worn.
Families are like that -
they're split up and always torn.

But even if this happens,
your family will always be.
They help define just who you are
and will be a part of you eternally.

Choose the letter of the correct answer.

1. What is the message of the poem?

- a. Our community is also our family.
- b. Rules are important to every family.
- c. Our family will always be a part of us no matter what happens.

2. Why is a family like a circle?

- a. We go around with our family.
- b. A family is always there for us.

c. Our relationship with our family never ends.

3. How is the star compared to a family in the poem?

- a. It is faraway.
- b. It is always there.
- c. It gives light at night.

4. What does it mean by "A family is like a book, the ending's never clear."

- a. Family endings are sad.
- b. We can end our relationship with our family.
- c. We do not know how we will be with our family in the future.

5. According to the poem, what will you do if you fight with your family?

- a. Let other members of the family solve the problem.
- b. Be sad because you will not be able to be with them.
- c. Do not worry because they will always be your family.

6. Which among the statements does **not** describe a family based on the poem?

- a. Families are gifts from God.
- b. Families teach you what you know.
- c. Families are the ones who help and support you.

7. Based on the sentence below, what does the word *eternal* mean?

Our parents' love for us is eternal.

- a. light
- b. short
- c. forever

8. Which makes a good title for the poem?

- a. Family: God's Gift
- b. Friends are Family
- c. A Family is Many Things

Answer the following questions.

1. Aside from being like a circle, star and book, what is a family like for you? Why?

2. Why is your family important to you?
