

Read James's report in a school newspaper and fill in the gaps with *something, anything, nothing, somebody, anything, nobody*.

I've asked more than fifty students what housework they do. I have to say the results came as a bit of a shock.

About 35 % of our schoolmates do not do (1). They've all got (2) else to tidy up for them. Loving Mums, Dads, Grannies and Sisters do everything to keep our lucky mates happy.

Over 25 % of students agree to do (3) only after their parents get very serious or angry.

Another 5 % will not do (4) without some kind of pay, This can be money, sweets, new clothes or even time they spend watching TV or playing computer games.

Less than 25 % of students help at home from time to time.

And only 10 % of caring sons and daughters ask if their parents need help and are happy to do some easy jobs like doing the dusting or ironing

Finally, the survey showed that (5) enjoys doing housework.

Well, no wonder our mums are always busy and tired! Next time you scream your mum is a monster, think about what you've done to make her happier.