

I. *Read the text below and answer the questions*

My family is aware how difficult it is to do all the housework alone, so we always have good cooperation in doing household chores. Although we are busy every day, we split the household chores equally.

First, my dad is the strongest person in the house, so his responsibility includes washes the motorbike, repaints things, fixes electric devices and does heavy lifting.

Second, my mom is an English teacher in a secondary school in the afternoon, so in the morning she usually cleans the floor, irons the clothes, shops for grocery and does the cooking. In the evening she cooks dinner and cleans the kitchen.

Third, in my daily routine, I sweep and clean the floor, do the laundry and do the dishes. I also shower and feed the cat. Whenever I have a problem with difficult assignments, doing housework will help me reduce stress. So I really enjoy doing household chores.

You can see my family sharing the housework equally. I feel very happy to be with my family.

1. Why does the author's family split the housework equally?
2. What household chores does the author's father do?
3. Why is his father suitable for these chores?
4. What household chores does his mother do?
5. When does she do these chores?
6. What household chores does the author do?
7. Who is the one who takes care of the cat?
8. Why does the author enjoy doing household chores?

II. *Read the text again. Match each paragraph in the text with its purposes*

1. Describe the father's responsibilities.
2. Describe the author's responsibilities and the reasons for his enjoyment.
3. Express the author's feeling.
4. Explain the reasons why the author's family shares housework with each other.
5. Describe the mother's responsibilities.