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?

A Parents and teachers
B Reporters and parents.
C Labourers and reporters
D Parents, teachers and friends

5 From the passage, we know that Laila _____

A likes to weave mats
B is a nasi lemak seller
C succeeded in her studies
D always has discussion with her mother

6 Match the phrases in List A to the suitable phrases in List B.

List A	List B
Her father	did not stop her from success.
She also weaves	mats to sell.
Poverty and family problems	works hard to support the family of six.

Tick (√) the correct answer.

7 From the text, we know that ...

She was interviewed by reporters.	
She tapped rubber tree in the morning.	
She was selected as the best pupils.	

8 The most suitable proverb for this story is ...

Where there's a will there's a way	
A friend in need is a friend indeed	
A penny saved is a penny gained	

proverb=peribahasa



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