

Form 7

Name:

Reading Comprehension

Term 1

HOUSEHOLD CHORES

Task 1. Read the text.

Kate: So Paul, how do the members of your family share their householding chores? Who does the washing up?

Paul: Well, my sister does that. I sometimes do the washing up, too. We've got a dishwasher in our kitchen, so it is not difficult for me to put dirty dishes into it.

Kate: Do you do the shopping?

Paul: No. My parents usually do the food shopping. They like buying food at the market. I can only buy something for a snake at school.

Kate: What about the cleaning up the house?

Paul: I must say that I clean my room every day. I don't like doing it really, but I have to. My sister vacuums the living room, and my mother cleans the kitchen and the bathroom.

Kate: Who does the cooking and the ironing?

Paul: Well, those are my sister's and my mother's chores. I can't cook at all, and I hate ironing. My father is keen on cooking. He's at work on weekdays, but he can cook something tasty for dinner on weekends.

Kate: Who washes clothes in your family?

Paul: Anybody can do it. If I have free time, I help my mum with washing. I put clothes into the washing machine and turn it on.

Task 2. Tick "V" the correct pictures/Click on only correct pictures/. Choose only Paul's household duties.



Task 3. Mark the sentences True or False.

1. Paul and his sister don't wash dishes.	True	False
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2.	Paul's mum and dad usually do food shopping.	True	False
3.	Paul likes tidying his room.	True	False
4.	Paul's fathers chores are cooking on weekends and food shopping.	True	False
5.	Washing clothes is a very difficult chore for Paul.	True	False

Task 4. Fill in the table. Write names in the correct column

	ironing	shopping	cleaning his room	vacuuming
Paul			Paul	
Mum				
Dad				
Sister				