

[UNIT 1. HOME LIFE]

VOCABULARY

Full Name:

Class:

** Fill each gap with a suitable word from the box, forming a compound noun.*

meal, electrical, washing, book, worker, sitter, table, washer,
computer, house, word, time, up, wife, piece

Tom's wife is a social (1) _____ and she works for the local council and has a very busy time- (2) _____ every day. She obviously can't be in full- (3) _____ work and be a house (4) _____ at the same time. This means Tom has been a (5) _____ husband for many years now, because his job as a text (6) _____ writer for students of English can be done from home working on a personal (7) _____.

As they can't afford a baby- (8) _____. Tom is in charge of the baby as well as having to do all the cooking and washing- (9) _____. His job is made much easier by the variety of (10) _____ goods available. He just puts all the dirty plates in the dish (11) _____ and the baby's clothes in the (12) _____ machine and away he goes. He's free to produce another master (13) _____ for students on his (14) _____ processor. When Tom's wife comes home at three, she has a ready-made (15) _____ to look forward to.