

READING COMPREHENSION

Are you a Good Citizen?



We can't have great communities without great citizens! To be a good citizen, you must respect and help others, obey rules and laws, and be involved in your community. So, is your community better because of you or worse?

Task 1. Complete the texts with the phrases below.

our family

good citizens

must behave

makes life

can give

is doing

that help

should think

not litter

look after

Why it's important to be a good citizen

We all live and work in a community and there are rules and laws 1) the community. When someone doesn't follow those rules and laws, it 2) unpleasant for some people. We 3) towards other people as though they were members of 4) . Doing something good for others 5) something good for ourselves.

Ways to be a good citizen

You 6) about and care for other people. You can help those who can't help themselves. You 7) your time and volunteer. You should 8) the area you live in and 9) or damage property and also encourage others to be 10) .

Task 2. Choose the correct propositions.

- 1 You should always wait **for/on** your turn. ...
- 2 Mark always pays his rent **for/on** time. ...
- 3 John donates money to charities to help people **in/on** need. ...
- 4 I recycle most of my household waste because I care **for/on** the environment. ...
- 5 People shouldn't drop litter **in/at** the streets. ...

Task 3. Fill in.

citizen

volunteers

obey

public

- 1 Liz tries to be a good and always treats people with respect....
- 2 When you live in a community you need to the law....
- 3 I don't like driving into the city centre; I prefer to take transport....
- 4 Peter at a senior citizen centre every Saturday....