

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. . . .