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UNIT 1: FAMILY LIFE

READING COMPREHENSION

Read the text and answer the questions.



Family Roles and Responsibilities

In every family, members often take on different roles to ensure a balanced and happy home life. Traditionally, the father has been seen as the breadwinner, meaning he is responsible for earning money to support the family. Meanwhile, the mother has often taken on the role of a homemaker, managing the house and taking care of the children. However, modern families have started to share responsibilities more equally.

Household chores, also known as housework, are tasks that help maintain a clean and organized home. These include cooking, cleaning, and doing the laundry. Some chores require physical effort, such as moving furniture or carrying heavy bags of groceries. These tasks, which involve lifting or moving heavy objects, are often referred to as heavy lifting.

In many families today, both parents work outside the home, and housework is shared among all family members. Fathers may help with cooking or cleaning, while mothers may also work full-time jobs. Children, too, can contribute by setting the table, washing dishes, or taking out the trash.

By working together, families can create a supportive and loving environment where everyone plays a role. Whether someone is a breadwinner or a homemaker, doing housework or handling heavy lifting, every task is important in maintaining a happy and functional home.

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Task 1: Decide if its True or Flase

Modern families often share responsibilities because both parents may work outside the home.

True/ Flase

Children are not expected to help with housework.

True/ Flase

Carrying heavy bags of groceries is an example of a physically demanding household task.

True/ Flase

Sharing responsibilities in a family can create a supportive and loving environment.

True/ Flase

The main idea of the passage is that only parents are responsible for maintaining a happy and functional home.

True/ Flase

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Task 2: Choose the best answer for these questions

1. What is the role of a breadwinner in a family?
A Doing housework
B Earning money to support the family
C Taking care of children
D Cooking meals

2. What does a homemaker typically do?
A Manage the house and take care of the children
B Earn money for the family
C Do all the heavy lifting
D Go grocery shopping every day

3. What is another term for household chores?
A Heavy lifting
B Breadwinning
C Housework
D Homemaking

4. Which of the following is an example of housework?
A Shopping for groceries
B Cleaning the house
C Driving to work
D Watching TV

5. What does "heavy lifting" refer to in the passage?
A Solving family problems
B Carrying or moving heavy objects
C Managing finances
D Taking care of young children

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Task 3: Matching each word with its correct definition

	Makes things easier or improves a situation.
Breadwinner	A person who manages the house and takes care of the children.
Housework	Playing a necessary or valuable role.
Groceries	Household chores such as cleaning, cooking, and laundry.
Heavy lifting	A person who earns money to support the family.
Homemaker	Food and household items bought from a store.
	Carrying or moving heavy objects.

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