

## Household Chores

A **chore** is a routine task or job that is often done around the home. Many people find chores unpleasant or boring and are reluctant to do them. However, when chores are divided between many people they can be accomplished much faster. Parents often assign chores to their children so that they can learn new skills and become more independent. Sometimes, children are given an allowance or 'pocket money' if they complete all their household chores.

### Types of chores

Sweep the floor	Wash the car
Mop the floor	Clean up your room
Vacuum the floor	Make the bed
Set the table	Dust the shelves
Clear the table	Hang out the washing
Wash the dishes	Fold the clothes
Unload the dishwasher	Iron the clothes
Take out the garbage	Mow the lawn

### Questions:

1. Who does the most chores in your home?
2. What household chores are you responsible for?
3. What chores do you husband/wife/children do?
4. What chores do you dislike the most?
5. Are there any chores that you enjoy doing?
6. Did you have to do chores when you were a child? If yes, what ones?
7. Did you receive an allowance ('pocket money') for completing chores?
8. Do you have a weekly routine for doing chores?
9. Do you sometimes avoid doing chores?
10. What are some strategies for making chores easier?

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