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The house is a place we live and rest, and maintaining its cleanness is the responsibility of every member within the family. However, due to the long-lasting stereotype, men were more prone to get employed to support the family while women were forced to stay at home, taking up the job of doing house chores. As the technologies improved and woman rights were increasingly valued, more women devote themselves to the workforce. Thus, the problem of house-chore responsibility emerged and became the heated question discussed frequently in the public. In my opinion, men and women are equal. When it comes to house chores, they should both take up the same amount of work if both of them are working to feed the family. If only one of the two is employed, the person not having a job should take up more responsibilities.

The situation of my family is the latter, that is, my father is employed and my mother isn't. My dad is a business executive that travels really often, and spends little time staying at home. My mother is a housewife that

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takes care of my brother, me, and the whole family. To be honest, the job distribution of our family isn't quite fair; however, we all do our best to improve the circumstance. Because my brother and I have to go to school which lasts from 7 in the morning to 5 in the afternoon, most house chores are finished by my mother, who spends most of her time at home. After coming back from school, I will cook with my mother and my brother will do the dishes afterwards. At times when my father comes home, he will also help do house chores to ease my mother's burden. Most people may hate doing house chores with the perception of tiredness and boredom. Nevertheless, I enjoy doing it not only because it is my responsibility but also because it is one of the best time during my day. At the moment of cooking with my mother, I am able to discard all the fatigue and pressure generated throughout the day and purely chat with my mother. I will share some intriguing stories happened that day while my mom will tell me some funny news she heard from the neighbors. Through the experience of doing house chores, I have realized that the most valuable thing is the intimate relationship formed during the process of interacting. I really enjoy the experience and I hope to help doing more house chores in the future.