

Roles Within a Family and Community

Chapter 1: Living Together · Topic 1

Key Concept

Within a family, parents often provide care and guidance, while children contribute by helping with small tasks and doing well in school.

In a community, different people take on roles like teachers, doctors, shopkeepers, and leaders, each contributing their skills for everyone's benefit.

Roles can also change over time - a person can be a student, then a worker, and later a mentor to younger people, showing how roles evolve.

Understanding roles within a family and community helps us appreciate everyone's contribution and encourages us to take responsibility for our own role.

Quick Revision Notes

- Every family and community member has a role.
- Parents provide care and guidance in a family.
- Children help with tasks and schoolwork.
- Communities include teachers, doctors and shopkeepers.
- Roles can change over a person's lifetime.
- A student can later become a worker, then a mentor.
- Understanding roles builds appreciation for contributions.
- Everyone should take responsibility for their own role.

Practice Questions

- 1 List your role and one family member's role.
- 2 Discuss a community role you'd like to have someday.
- 3 Interview a family member about their role at home.
- 4 Draw a picture showing different community roles.
- 5 Discuss how a role can change as someone grows up.
- 6 Write about a way you can contribute more at home.