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**WRITING TEST 1 (SEMESTER 1)**

**Duration: 15 minutes**

| **Write an email (120 - 150 words) to tell your friend about the division of household chores in your family.****You can use the following questions as cues.** |
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|  | - | How do people in your family share the housework? |
|  | - | What chores does each member do? |
|  | - | What benefits does the equal division of household chores bring to your family? |

|  | ***Sample writing****Dear John,**I’m writing this email to tell you about how my family divides the household chores. In my family, everybody shares the chores equally. Although my father is the breadwinner, he’s willing to help with the housework. He takes care of the houseplants, feeds and bathes our dogs, and sometimes fixes household appliances. My mother is responsible for shopping for groceries as well as doing the cooking. She is a master of choosing clean and fresh ingredients for our best family meals. My sister and I take turns to do the washing-up, do the laundry, help my mum clean the house and put out the rubbish every day. Plus, at the weekend, I help my father wash the car in the garage. It’s a good time for dad and son to talk to each other. I think dividing household duties equally is a great way to strengthen our family bonds.* *Do you agree with me? Please write back soon and let me know.* *Best wishes,**An* |  |
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