

How to use the Family Chores List

1. Items in the above list are the most common found in most families. Cross out those that do not apply to your family and add any that are unique to your family.
2. The parents put their initials by the chores that **only they are able to do**. Then
3. Each person in the family put their initials next to the chore that they would **enjoy doing**. Then
4. Each person in the family puts their initials next to the chore that they would be **willing to do**. Then
5. There will remain those chores that **no one really likes to do**. With these chores, put them on a **rotation** basis that that no one person gets “stuck” doing the unwanted chore.
6. Most chores will not have specific times to be completed. For those chores that do have a deadline, please add this next to the chore.
7. Make several copies of the completed list (somehow they get lost ☺), and post one on the inside of a kitchen cupboard.
8. Folks can “trade” chores but these changes must be updated on the list.
9. If there’s a dispute over who is supposed to do what and when, go to the list.