

**GURU GOBIND SINGH PUBLIC SCHOOL, CHAS**

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Assignment: Class 4 EVS

Chapter 1 Family

**Notes:**

Family

A family is a unit of people live together who share and spend time together and are related to each other. It can be a big family, small, joint or nuclear family.

Changes in family structure with time.

As time passed people started to live in nuclear family as some members left their family in order to work at different place or for higher studies. People also changed the way they look, their habits likes and dislikes they lived with time.

Extended family.

Newborn baby adds to the size of a family.He/she should be welcomed with open arms whether it is a boy or a girl. The baby becomes a part of the family. The immediate family of the baby includes his or her parents and siblings. An extended family includes relatives from both the father side as well as the mother's side. Example-grandparents uncle aunt and cousins etc.

Importance of extended family.

We spend a lot of time with the members of our extended family during vacations and festive occasions. So they are also our family as we share our joys and sorrows with them.

Adoption

Raising the child by a couple or an individual who is not born to them is called adoption. The parents who look after the adopted child are called foster parents.

Assignment

1. How has the family structure changed over the years?
2. Who is a grandmother?
3. How does a child become a part of an extended family?
4. Who is a cousin?

In your EVS copy make a family tree showing the names of all your family members. As all of you do not have the books so write the the above notes in EVS copy and answer the above questions.

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