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## **CHORES AND PRIORITIES**

#### DISHES:

Breakfast, lunch, snacks - everyone cleans up after themselves to the best of his ability. Rinse and stack in dishwasher if possible. Otherwise, rinse and leave in sink or next to sink. If you leave things a mess - you will do all the after dinner kitchen chores alone.

DINNER: Everyone does after dinner kitchen chores. No one leaves the kitchen until all of the chores are done. No one stands idle while others work. If one person doesn't do his share, he will have chores assigned to him.

#### OTHER CHORES

Will be assigned as fairly as possible. If not done within a reasonable amount of time, you may be grounded and/or personal amusement privileges will be revoked until chores are done.

## PRIORITIES FOR USE OF TIME;

Everybody - after dinner and kitchen chores, finish homework before TV, phone, Nintendo, etc. Consequences - no TV, phone, etc. the next day.

Everybody - if problems with grades, priorities will be re-established after each report card.

Maintenance of bedroom and personal hygiene is expected. If found lacking - TV, phone, Nintendo, personal amusement will be curtailed until things are back in order. (Same goes for music practice.)

#### TELEVISION:

TV goes off at least 1/2 hour before bedtime on Sunday nights before school.

No TV after school. No TV on Monday-Thursday nights if the next day is a school day. Special permission can be given for special programs.

Consequences: NO TV ON FOLLOWING WEEKEND

Saturday and Sunday mornings: TV goes off at 9 AM. Consequences same as above.

Outside recreation takes precedence over TV, Nintendo, and computer games.

Fights over the television will result in the TV being turned off.

During summer vacation, TV rules may be more relaxed. This is up to the discretion of the parents.

### **OTHER RULES:**