

LEVEL: _____ STUDENT: _____

DATE: _____ DURATION: ___ min

AUDIO CHALLENGE



There are so many hours in a day

1) Listen to the audio:

<http://kids.academiabsb.com.br/wp-content/uploads/2023/08/There-arent-enough-hours-in-the-day.m4a>

2) Fill in the blanks with the correct words:

"There aren't enough hours in the day," complained Sarah. She was late to _____ (1) again, and traffic was a nightmare. She had a long list of things to _____ (2) for the day, but she _____ (3) she was going to have a hard time getting everything done.

Sitting behind Sarah was her _____ - _____ - _____ (4) son, Jacob, strapped into a car seat. Even though she had _____ (5) her apartment fifteen minutes _____ (6) than she normally _____ (7), Sarah was late getting to both her son's daycare and her _____ (8).

She had so many _____ (9) to do! First, she had to _____ (10.a) her son _____ (10.b) at daycare. Then she needed to go to _____ (11). After work she had to see a doctor. Then she had to do some errands later that evening.

Most important on her list of things to do was a _____ (12) to the doctor. Sarah is pregnant. She _____ (13) to see her obstetrician after work for a routine checkup. Pregnant women need to go to the doctor _____ (14) as their babies develop. She had an ultrasound _____ (15), and she needed to ask her doctor a few questions.

She also needed to do some _____ (16). She had to buy a maternity _____ (17) because she was getting noticeably _____ (18). Then she wanted to stop off at the _____ (19) store. She wasn't able to go to the grocery store over the weekend. She needed to buy some _____ (20) things such as _____ (21), eggs, bread, and some meat. Sarah likes shopping when there are few people at the store, so she was planning on going later in the evening.

Where does such a busy person find the time to do anything besides work and take care of family obligations? There are only so many hours in a day!

3) Repeat the word you wrote while recording them.

NOTES

accomplish: to to succeed in doing something

errands: small tasks that may involve shopping groceries, paying the bills and so on

have a hard time: to experience difficulty

maternity: the state of being a mother

nightmare: a bad dream or a bad experience in life

obstetrician: a doctor who works with women who are pregnant

outfit: a clothing style

routine: daily schedule

strapped: restrained

ultrasound: technology used by doctors to examine organs inside the body

OBSERVATIONS:

SOURCE: