

## Daily Life - Living With Your Parents (C0363)

- A: Why did your girlfriend break up with you?
- B: I don't know, she said she was tired of me not manning up and being more independent, which I think is all a bunch of crap.
- A: Well, you still live with your parents, so she does have a point.
- B: What do you mean? Lots of people live with their parents, especially when rent is so expensive and the slump in the economy.
- A: Yeah, but you are almost forty! Plus, you make good money so there is really no excuse. It's simply because you are a momma's boy.
- B: Whatever dude, I have everything I need, why would I move out! Have a great roof over my head, my mom does my laundry and cooks for me, what else could a guy ask for!
- A: Let's agree to disagree.

### Key Vocabulary

girlfriend	<i>N</i>	a female romantic partner
break up	<i>P</i>	end a romantic relationship
man up	<i>P</i>	take responsibility for your actions
crap	<i>N</i>	an unpolite way of saying something is foolish
momma's boy	<i>N</i>	A grown male still dependent on his mother
move out	<i>V</i>	change the place where you live, leave a house

### Supplementary Vocabulary

wimp	<i>N</i>	a weak, cowardly, or ineffectual person
pamper	<i>V</i>	To treat with excessive care, attention or indulgence
Mooch	<i>N</i>	someone that tries to get something free

immature	<i>A</i>	characteristic of a lack of maturity
needy	<i>A</i>	demanding or needing attention, affection, or reassurance to an excessive degree