

THE ROLE OF WOMEN IN MODERN LIFE

In 30 seconds, answer the following questions:

- **Do you think men should participate more in raising children? Why/Why not?**
- **How are women treated differently than men in some countries?**

Watch the video and answer the given question in 60 seconds:

**Do you think we should
abandon traditional gender
roles?**

Video



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Listen and repeat. Then, choose a word to define.

1. **Dissolve (v)** /dɪ'zɔ:lɪv/

2. **Regulation (n)** /ˌregju'leɪʃn/

3. **Responsibility (n)** /rɪˌspɔːnsə'bɪləti/

4. **Childbearing (n)** /'tʃaɪldbərɪŋ/

5. **Child-rearing (n)** /'tʃaɪldrɪrɪŋ/

6. **Participation (n)** /pɑːrˌtɪsɪ'peɪʃn/

Make a sentence using that word.

Example: The survey is only concerned with women of **childbearing** age.



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Wear Your Words

Explanation of a useful idiom and a phrasal verb:

In terms of something used to show what aspect of a subject you are talking about or how you are thinking about it

Take responsibility for (sth/doing sth) to deal with or take care of somebody/something, so that you may be blamed if something goes wrong



Examples:

- ***In terms of rights**, women should not be treated differently than men.*
- *Throughout history, women have **taken more responsibility for** raising children.*

Make a sentence using either the given idiom or phrasal verb.



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Structure:

It's necessary + that + S + (should) + do something.

Example: *It is necessary that we choose wisely, because wrong choices now can mean all future generations would remain poor forever.*

Make a sentence using the given structure.



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Pair Work: Throughout history, men have been seen as breadwinners, while women have been seen as caregivers. **In 180 seconds, discuss “The ways in which traditional gender roles are being dissolved” with your partner.**

Suggestions

- ✓ Women have greater access to education
- ✓ More women are filling high-ranking jobs
- ✓ More women are either waiting to have children, or not having them at all
- ✓ More women are working in male-dominated fields
- ✓ Men are starting to take on more domestic tasks
- ✓ Etc.



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Assessment Form

Here are some comments on your performance.

Student	Pronunciation	Vocabulary	Grammar
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Feel free to ask if you have any questions!



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- ✓ Vocabulary related to the role of women in modern life
- ✓ **Idiom: In terms of something**
- ✓ **Phrasal verb: Take responsibility for (sth/doing sth)**

✓ **Structure:**

It's necessary + that + S + (should) + do something.

- ✓ Discussion about the ways in which traditional gender roles are being dissolved



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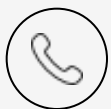
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