

Lesson 9: Raise Kids Who Care



Vocabulary Practice:

Raise - to take care of children or young animals until completely grown.	<i>They raised a family and now want to enjoy their retirement.</i>
Care - the process of providing for the needs of someone or something.	<i>The quality of care at this hospital is very good.</i>
Medicine - a substance taken into the body in treating an illness.	<i>Take two spoonfuls of cough medicine.</i>

Dialogue Reading:

Mommy is sick

Sonya: Hello, may I speak with my daddy?

Woman: Who is this please?

Sonya: This is Sonya Brown, daughter of David Brown

Woman: Oh! Hello, sweetie. Your father is still in the meeting. Do you have a message for him?

Sonya: Please tell him to call me as soon as he's done because my mommy is sick. Thank you.

Woman: Sure, I will. I hope your mom will get well soon.

Sonya: Thank you. Bye~

Woman: You're welcome dear. Bye~

(At home)

Sonya: Mommy, please drink this tea. It will help you feel better.

Mom: Thank you, Sonya. Did you call your dad?

Sonya: Yes. But the lady said dad is still in the meeting.

Mom: Did you leave a message?

Sonya: Yes. I told her to ask daddy to call us after his meeting is done.

Mom: Thank you, dear.

Sonya: Mommy, do you want something to eat? I will get some fruits.

Mom: Ok. Please give me some water too and get the medicine in the

medicine box near the fridge.

Sonya: Sure, mom. Please lay down and wait for me.

Mom: Thank you, Sonya, for taking good care of me while daddy isn't here.

Sonya: No problem at all, mom! It's my job to take good care of you too.

Exercise:

Answer the following:

1. What is care?

- a. the process of transforming a child into an adult
- b. the process of providing for the needs of someone or something.
- c. the process of instilling obedience or adherence to a set of standards

2. What does it mean to raise?

- a. to join a competition
- b. to run a set distance to determine the fastest
- c. to take care of children until completely grown

3. What is a medicine?

- a. a substance taken into the body in treating an illness.
- b. a substance taken into the body for enjoyment.
- c. an activity that is done to reinvigorate a person.