Monologue on housework

Talk about household chores. What are some tips for making chores easier? Do you have a weekly routine to do the chores? Did you have to do chores when you were a child? If so, which ones?



How to prepare your monologue:

Housework vocabulary

Clean the floor (sweep the floor, mop the floor, vacuum the floor);clean the windows; do the ironing; do the shopping; do the washing/do the laundry; do the washing-up; lay the table; clear the table; make lunch; make the beds; pick up dirty clothes (from the floor); put away your clothes; take out the rubbish; tidy your room; water the plants; wash the car; feed pets; take the dog for a walk.

Don't confuse:

To do your homework: I usually do my homework after dinner.

To do housework: I usually do (some) housework in the mornings.

Answer these questions:

What housework do you usually do? (Use adverbs of frequency and time expressions)

What have you done today? (Present perfect + already)

Who does the most housework in your family? I/My mother / My husband and I... do most of the housework in my family. In my family we share the housework, I ..., my husband...., and our children....

Do you argue about housework in your family? Give examples

What housework do you hate doing? What don't you mind doing? Is there any housework you like doing?

What were your chores when you were a child? (Use "used to", "didn't use to", "had to", "didn't have to") Write your ideas: