

Sharing Housework

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Opening Billboard (with music bed)

(Cue studio recorded)Hello and welcome to, 'Our School' Emergency program It is a program for young people especially girls who don't have access to education, a' m Chol Ngut Khor

In today's program we are looking at how parents can share housework with their daughters to give them time for study at home.

A Girl in protection of civilian site (POC3) in Juba will tell us how housework affects her study.

Clip 1

The problem I get from my study is that some time if I absent from school although I will take a note of what has been teach by teachers from my classmate but I will not understand them.

One of the community member and also education coordinator in Juba POCS will tell us how workload at home without time for study affects girl's education.

Clip 2

They are not doing well because when they are back from school they will be told to cook or bath the children after that it will get dark, it is a problem because that child will failed and will not be promoted.

All that and more, coming in the next 15mins...

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Cue 1

Inconsistency in attending school lessons and finding time to read / study affects once progress in learning especially girls.

Today in our program we are talking on how parents cans share housework with theirs daughter we will talk to a girl at the POCS (protection of civilian site) in Juba to tell us the challenges she faces as a result of too much work at home.

We shall also talk to a two women ,one who has send her daughter to school and the other woman who keep her daughter at home.

Finally we shall also listen to one of the community member, who will tell us what parent should do to give girls study time.

But let hear first from school girl.

Field record

Am now in UN house, with me is a girl of 18 year years call Sunday she is in primary eight now, kids are playing near us as you may hear some sound, Sunday will tell us how she is going with her study now and the challenges she is getting.

A1: my school is going on well but the challenges am facing now, I have no time to revise my books even when there is need for me to read.

Q2: What make you not read?

A2: am not reading because I have no time when I finished from school or before I go I have to fetch water and do the cooking and the rest at home so that is why I have no time to read.

Q3: If you are not reading because you are working at home how does that affect your study?

A3: The problem I get from my study is that some time if I absent from school although I will take a note of what has been teach by teachers from my classmate but I will not understand them because what has been teach in your absent you cannot know them and you cannot do well in exam and that may lead me to failure those are the challenges I faces.

Q4: have you ever share that with the people are with them that working at home affect your learning since you are candidate?

A4: no I have never share with them, because I fear; they may think that am just refusing to work at home.

Q5: what make you to think that they will be angry to you and refuse to give you time to read?

A6: I know that, because there was time I took two days without working at home I was just concentrating on my study, then they starting quarrelling with me and insulted me that I have refused to work at home.

Q6 as you said that what make you fear to share your feeling with them is because they may get angry to you and your learning is not going well because you have no time to read what will you do about that?

A8:I have nothing to do but I will try to discuss with them the challenges am facing and my feeling about it ,but if they will not accept to give me time I will just leave it like that.

Recapitulation

Thanks you so much Sunday for sharing with me.

As we hear from Sunday saying that she has no time to study at home because she is the one doing cooking and fetching water and other duties at home, but fearing to sharing it with her parents.

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Cue 2

It hard in the life of girls who have interest to pursue their studies but not given freedom to read and share with others classmate by parents, because they think girls cannot read together with boys.

Field record

Am still in UN house, as I finished with Sunday, with me now are two women at home one is call Medan and the other one call Nyatuai,

Medan has given time to her daughter to go school and she does everything at home as I get her washing her utensils as you may her some sound and she will tell us why she like to send her daughter to school and Nyatuai who is keeping her daughter at home will also tell us why she is not sending her daughter to school let hear from them.

Q1: Medan as you said that you send your daughter to school and you are the one working at home as I get you, can you tell me why you like to send your daughter to school?

A1: it's good that a child can go to school especial if a girl is educated I will get many thing from her even when she get marriage and go to her home I will benefit most in whatever she will get me that is the reason why I send my daughter to school .

Q2: Nyatuai tell me why you like not to send your daughter to school?

A2: am not sending my daughter to school because am the only one at home I always go to work, getting vegetable from bushes and come and sell them here, and my daughter is the one remaining at home with children there is no time for her to go to school.

Q3: Medan, what can you tells to Nyatuai who is keeping her daughter at home because she is busy?

A3: my sister Nyatuai what I can tell you is that leave your children to your neighbour and some time you can leave your goods to those who are selling thing with, you can come home to check your children at home and your daughter can go to school because when your daughter finish her school she will be the one who will help you out of that situation.

Q4: as you hear from Medan that it is good to send your daughter to school so what can you say about that?

A4: what I can tell you my sister Medan it is only that am suffering I have no neighbour whom I can leave my children with and again when I leave the vegetable there is no good person to leave my

goods with, the those who site with me they are not selling my thing they will only sell theirs and leave mine

Q5: Medan, tell me what important thing you will get from your daughter when she finished her education?

A5: when she finished her education and get certificate she will get employment and bring something to eat at home that is the important thing, she will be able to participate in public affairs of this country and if she is not having certificate she will not get a job.

Q6: Nyatuai as you hear from Medan saying that her daughter will support her when she finished her education, so what will you get from your daughter as benefits when you keep her at home?

A6: the situation in the camp is bad, she was going to school before but now am the one working for them it is better to work for yourself then begging people so because of that she will continue to stay at home

Q7: as you said that is better to work than to beg, but can you compare the benefits which one is better, keeping your daughter at home then you the mother doing everything and sending her to school and support you when she is finished her education which one is good?

A7: it is good to send her to school but now I have young children whom I am selling thing for them and eat from them , also it is not good if a child go to school and stay hungry, and I just stay at home if we received UN food what shall we eat the food with? And if the oil gets finish we will have something from my business to buy oil from it that is the reason I don't want my daughter to go to school.

Q8: Medan what can advise can you give to your sister Nyatuai?

A8: what I can tell you Nyatuai , let your daughter go to school ,education is the only one have benefit now a day, we are just siting now because we did not go to school that is why we are suffering ,are you not seeing those who have gone to school they are having jobs, if we would have gone to school we can get big job which can be better than selling okra and others (vegetable), and the ways you are putting whole day ,we cannot sell okra and vegetable now , we would be working but because we did not go to school that is why we are suffering , please, take your daughter to school even if it mean to work together with your children like children of wewe you can take them with you and site around you and your daughter can go to school.

Q9: Nyatuai what is your response to that?

A9:Medan,my sister I accept your advice I will take the little one at my back and take the rest to play near me, because you advise me several time, now it is only that my heart has gone away because am the only one looking food for them , now my daughter will go to school.

Medan: thanks you very much sister, am very happy that your daughter will go to school.

Thanks am very happy to both of you for sharing with me the way forward regarding the education of your children thanks you very much.

Recap

As we hear from the two women Medan and Nyatuai, Nyatuai does not send her daughter to school because she is working in the local market selling vegetable for their feeding and her elder daughter look after the young one at home, she said that she will not send her daughter to school because she is better for herself to work than begging people to feed her children, but her sister Medan has managed to tell her the importance of sending her daughter to school she tell her that her daughter will end the suffering if she accept to send her to school and Nyatuai finally agreed to send her daughter to school because of that.

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After we listen from the two mothers we are going to hear from Education coordinator for POC3.

Studio record

I also spoke to Dobil, He is the person who has been appointed by the communities here to be Education coordinator in poc3 (civilian protection side) in juba he will tell us the challenges girls face in their learning in the POCs.

A1: school girls are suffering because when they finished from school they are not reading, because when they are back from school they are told to cook or bath the children after that it will get dark, it a problem because that child will failed and will not be promoted, that is why most of the girls failed and dropout.

Q2.as you said those problem make girls to dropout from school or not performing well, so what could be done by the parents?

A2: What the parents should do is to give study time to their daughters, even if the parents are not educated they tell them to read, secondly let them give girls freedom let them not be hold because even if the girls want to go to read with her classmates they will see that she is not going to read but reading need three to four to share,, so let them give time to read they can be given Saturday and Sunday at least to at help at housework.,,

Q3: can you tell me why it is important for girls to be given study time?

A3: the important thing to give them time to read is that they will read and pass, and they will know the language very well, and get new words at daily basis again it will not let the child to repeat classes, if the child fails this year the time is going that mean that child will not go well in her education.

Q4: tell me the benefits that parents can get from their daughters if they educated them and finished?

A4: girls education is having a lot of benefits because girls is the one always caring for her parents then boys, let me give you example of myself, my elder daughter has finished her education and my son, but what my daughter is doing for me now is more then what my son is doing, a girls can support or educated her young brothers and sisters, again they are not coming back to you they will be able to support themselves but if not educated they can come back to their parents and the

parents will care for them again that is why it very important that girls can go to school and the will support in different ways.

Thanks you're very much for all you have said.

Recapitulation

We have heard from Dobol that girl education is very important as he did his example that her daughter is the one supporting him now because he educated her.

He said girls should be given enough time to read so that they will pass and continue with their education.

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General conclusion#

We have come to the end of our today program

In this program today, we talk about how parent can sharing housework with their daughters to give them time for study at home

We have heard from Sunday who is in primary eight saying that she has no time to read because she does everything at home she also said that inconsistency attend lessons also make her not learn well even though she copy a note from friend and she is fearing to share the problem with her parent so that she will be given enough time to read.

We also listen from Medan and Nyatuai, Medan does everything at home so that her daughter goes to school and get time for study, she said that the importance's of sending her daughter to school is that the daughter will give her more support later even when she is marriage. And Nyatuai say that she is not sending her daughter to school because the daughter look after the younger one at home when she is sell vegetable in the market, she say that she cannot send her to school because even if she goes to school and she has nothing to eat when she come back from school she will not be able to learn well, but because her sister Medan tell her the importance of sending her daughter to school will end the suffering and she will support her when she finished her education she change her mind and she decide that she is going to send her daughter to school.

Finally we have listen from education coordinator Dobol and he said that girl are not learning well because they are not given free time for their study by their parents, she said that parents need to give their daughters freedom of reading together with the rest of their colleges, they can be given Saturday and Sunday to work at home., he said educated girl is having lot of benefits to her parents and he give example about daughter who is supporting him now.

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Thank for listening to this program, am Chol Ngut Khor.