

Check Your Answers: After You Read

Section 19.1

Review Key Concepts

1. A family meets emotional needs by showing love and acceptance, which enables members to develop a positive self-image.
2. The middle-age stage can be a good time for couples because often the children have left home and the couple can focus more on each other.
3. Large families were helpful in the 19th century because a lot of people lived in rural areas and children were needed to help with farm work.
4. Typical components of a family support system might include: extended family members, friends, neighbors, social service agencies, schools, and places of worship.

Practice Academic Skills

5. Responses will vary, but should include descriptions of family members and images that complement the writing.
6. Students may need guidance in choosing a topic, and some direction on debate protocol. Students should demonstrate some critical thinking.

Section 19.2

Review Key Concepts

1. A promotion may increase responsibility. Getting fired or laid off can reduce self-esteem and affect income.
2. Children may feel resentment, fear the loss of parental love, or worry that they caused the divorce.
3. Resources include family members, teachers, counselors, religious leaders, friends, and support groups.

Practice Academic Skills

4. Students should demonstrate that they have chosen a movie that is appropriate to the topic of change in families, have absorbed its message, and are able to communicate that message.
5. Answers will vary, but students should demonstrate that they have read enough about their subject to understand its effect on families. They should give details about support that was available and how people recovered from the natural disaster.