

AGE-APPROPRIATE CHORES FOR CHILDREN * (continued)

Ages 8-9 (cont'd)

- Peel potatoes or carrots
- Scramble eggs
- Read recipe and help prepare meal
- Prepare simple meals, such as making toast, PB&J sandwiches, or cereal
- Bake cookies
- Pack lunch for school
- Wipe off table
- Load dishwasher
- Get mail
- Change light bulbs
- Dust furniture
- Vacuum
- Help take out trash
- Walk dog
- Sweep porches
- Spray off patio

Ages 10-11

*in addition to the previous list of chores

- Change bed sheets
- Clean bathrooms
- Do complete loads of laundry
- Prepare meal with several ingredients and use oven
- Load and unload the dishwasher
- Clean countertops
- Clean kitchen
- Vacuum rugs
- Do simple mending (hems, buttons, etc.)
- Take out trash/recycling and bring garbage bins back in
- Rake leaves
- Mow lawn
- Sweep out garage
- Help younger siblings