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Creative Writing Pre-writing Task

The Clipit film *Take Five*, focuses on the Chan family and the difficulties they have in balancing their work life with their family life.

Mr Chan works overseas and probably does not see his family often. Mrs Chan works long hours and comes home very late at night. The domestic helper looks after the children while the parents are not at home.

How is each character affected by the family situation? How do you think each character feels? Jot down your ideas in the table below.

Characters	Situation	How Characters are Affected	How Characters Feel
 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;">Eliza Chan</div>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Does homework with her helper</i> • 		
 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;">Mrs Chan</div>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Works long hours</i> • 		
 <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 2px; width: fit-content; margin: 0 auto;">absent father</div>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 		