

Family Lifespan Interview

For **homework**, interview four individuals or household members. Identify roles and responsibilities of individuals and/or family members throughout the family lifespan, and complete the chart with the appropriate information. You will be using the information from this **Family Lifespan Interview** to create a storyboard during the next activity. Complete the first line of the chart with your own information.

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Use the back of the handout to include additional interviews.