

# FOSTER FAMILIES

1. Read (and listen to) the article and decide if the sentences are *true* or *false*.

[http://kidshealth.org/kid/feeling/home\\_family/foster\\_families.html#](http://kidshealth.org/kid/feeling/home_family/foster_families.html#)

- a. 'Foster' means 'different'. .....
- b. A child is placed in another home if their parents can't provide appropriate care. ....
- c. Kids usually stay with a foster family until they are 18. ....
- d. Children sometimes have to pass a written test to go to a foster family. ....
- e. The longer a kid stays with a foster family the better. ....
- f. Social workers facilitate contacts with the kid's original family. ....
- g. Social workers give their opinion on whether kids can return to their original family or not. ....

2. Read (and listen to) the article and answer the questions in your own words.

- a. What are foster families?
- g. What happens next?

- b. Why do kids live with foster families?

- c. Who can be a foster parent?

- d. Why do kids live with foster families?

- e. What happens when a kid goes to a foster family?

- f. What do social workers do?



## References:

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