



Personal Learning Checklist (PLC)

Subject - GCSE Sociology (Eduqas 9-1)

Topic/Sub-Topic – Unit 3: Family

S = I have Summarised ✓ O = I have Organised (RAG or 😊😐😞) R = I have Recalled ✓ T = I have Tested Myself ✓

I can ...	S	O	R	T
1) Family diversity and different family forms in the UK and within a global context				
Describe and explain the concept of family.				
Describe and explain the differences between nuclear family, extended family, reconstituted family, lone parent family, single sex family, cohabiting family, beanpole family.				
Describe and explain various types of ethnic minority family forms.				
Describe and explain various types of global family forms, including polygamy, arranged marriages, matriarchies and the one-child family policy in China.				
2) Social changes and family structures				
Describe, discuss and evaluate changes in social norms, secularisation, values and laws, feminism, economic factors, technology and immigration and their impact on:				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> family diversity, including the work of Rapoport divorce rates and serial monogamy cohabitation, single parent families, later age of marriage singlehood family size. 				
3) Social changes and family relationships				
Describe, explain and evaluate changes in social norms, secularisation, values and laws, including the impact of feminism.				
Describe, explain and evaluate the relationship between family and economic factors, technology and their impact on:				
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> segregated and joint conjugal roles, symmetrical families, and domestic division of labour New Man theory decision making / money management in families dual career families leisure activities theory of symmetrical family and principle of stratified diffusion, developed from the functionalist perspective of Willmott and Young. 				
Describe, explain and evaluate changing patterns in child-rearing patterns and child-centred families.				

