## **Chore Options for 5-7-year-olds**

Household Cleaning:	Food/ Meals:
<ul> <li>☐ Sweep the floor</li> <li>☐ Collect trash from bathroom, bedrooms, etc.</li> <li>☐ Dust (choose reachable and non-breakable places/items)</li> <li>☐ Clean up/organize toys</li> <li>☐ Organize kids' books on bookshelves</li> <li>☐ Make bed</li> <li>☐ Clean bathroom sink/counters</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>☐ Help carry light bags of groceries from store or car</li> <li>☐ Put away groceries</li> <li>☐ Help with dinner preparations</li> <li>☐ Wash produce</li> <li>☐ Find ingredients</li> <li>☐ Rip up lettuce</li> <li>☐ Season foods</li> <li>☐ Mix non-hot food items</li> <li>☐ Simple chopping using kid-safe</li> </ul>
Laundry:	knives  Set the table
<ul> <li>☐ Sort dirty laundry (ex: whites and colors)</li> <li>☐ Fold clean laundry (especially towels, pants, underwear, and matching socks)</li> <li>☐ Put clean laundry away in drawers/bins</li> <li>☐ Hang up wet laundry</li> </ul>	Scrape dishes into trash and put in dishwasher/sink  Put away refrigerated items from the table  Wash the table after meals  Prepare simple snacks  Pack lunch for school  Unload/empty lunch box, putting items
Outdoor:	away or in sink/dishwasher  Help make shopping list for groceries and
Rake leaves and/or scoop leaf piles into bags	other household suppliese  Help plan the weekly menu
<ul> <li>☐ Help shovel snow</li> <li>☐ Water plants/flowers</li> <li>☐ Pull weeds</li> <li>☐ Get mail/newspaper</li> <li>☐ Help parents wash car</li> </ul>	Add Your Own – Add chores that work for your specific family and living situation. For example, if you live on a farm, the kids may collect chicken eggs.
Pets:	
☐ Feed pet ☐ Clean up after pet	

