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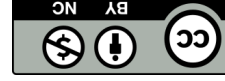
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I wake up and make fire.

I boil some water.





I chop the firewood.

I stir the pot.



Why do I work so hard... ..  
when my brother is busy  
playing?





I sweep the floor.



I wash the dishes.