Daily life in the 1920s. America.

Introduction

Although the 1920s were a time of change, most families still kept the traditional roles of the men working long hours to support the family and the women staying home to take care of the children and complete all the household tasks.

Daily life of an American woman - 1920s

For an American women living in the 1920s their weekly schedule often consisted of laundry on Monday, ironing and mending on Tuesday, baking on Wednesday and Saturday, daily cleaning of the kitchen and parlour and thorough cleaning on Thursday and again on Saturday. They also had to prepare three meals a day, as well as taking care of the children.

Daily life of an American man - 1920s

In the 1920s men were still the head of the household and went to work to provide for the family. When it came to the kids the father didn't really have much responsibility apart from the discipline. However when the kids got older the father would train the sons to take on the family trade or business and help the daughters to find appropriate suitors.

Daily life of an American child - 1920s

When the 1920s came round education become more important and more improved. Kids were mandated to go to school. For entertainment the kids would play hopscotch, card games and marbles, they would play with anything they could find, some would use a can to play soccer.

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The End

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