

1st paper

3-5 pages, double-spaced, 12-pt font, 1-inch margins, due by 6 pm on 9/19/08

Please title your paper.

Papers are graded on writing quality as well as on content.

Describe the division of labor and bargaining patterns in your family. You may want to specify a particular time period that your description applies to. Who does what work? How are large purchases decided upon? How are day-to-day purchasing and work assignment decisions made? Is your family's behavior consistent with the economic/rational choice model developed in Chapter 3? If your family does not fit this model, how would you explain the patterns you observe?