

Reading Questions for February 10th

These questions cover three news articles. One is titled “Judge Orders Woman to Undergo Sterilization” and is by the Associated Press, another is titled “Father Owing Child Support Loses a Right To Procreate” and is by Tamar Lewin, and the last is titled “Sterilization of mentally disabled man approved in U.K. London court deems vasectomy to be in the 36-year-old’s ‘best interest’ ” and is by Farida Hussain. The answers do not have to be turned in.

*Background:*

This week we’re looking at whether everyone should be allowed to have kids. On Monday and Wednesday we looked at some more theoretical arguments, today we’re looking at some real-life cases.

*Question:*

1. What do you think – do the people in these stories have the right to have children? Why or why not?