THE BALANCING ACT: MANAGING A CAREER AND FAMILY NOTES (KEY)

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Advantages

- Abundance of jobs
- Advancement opportunities
- Fast pace and variety
- Meeting people
- Pleasant Workplace
- Travel

Disadvantages

- Hours of work
- Relocation
- Stress
- Working conditions

Multiple Roles

- Adult
- Employee
- Citizen
- Spouse
- Parent
- Community member
- Neighbor
- Other

Family

- May consist of:
 - Spouse
 - Children
 - Grandparents
 - Brothers and sisters
 - Step-children
 - Other relatives

Name	Period	Date	
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Time Saving Techniques

- Avoid procrastinations
- Avoid time wasters
- Be flexible
- Do it right the first time
- Make a To Do list
- Practice work simplification
- Prevent interruptions
- Set goals
- Stay organized
- Take a break
- Use small amounts of time
- Use a calendar

Managing Your Energy

- Amount changes daily
- Identify your peak period
- Levels vary with age
- Increase levels by:
 - Eating healthy food
- Exercising regularly
- Getting plenty of rest

Leisure Activities

- Community activities
- Hobbies
- Reflection
- Vacations