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a. According to some family structures listed in the textbook, my family is categorized as a nuclear family structure, because my family has two parents and three children. Nuclear family system is considered to be an ideal family structure not only in the United States, but also in many other societies in the world, because of its many advantages. Not like the extended families, in which the household consists of groups of relatives, members such as grandparents, aunts and uncles; a nuclear family is such a single-family unit that only contains two parents and their children living under a household. In addition, one drawback can be seen from nuclear families is that fewer adults meaning fewer income resources, so that nuclear families may struggle to provide for their children. In extended families, on the other hand, have more members living in the household, so that they can join hands to make more incomes to support each other, and the children.