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(Kat Lay, *The Guardian*, June 10th, 2025)

A: Reading the article above and answer the following questions:

- ①. What does the UNFPA expert say?
 - a. Many young people do not want to have children
 - b. Young people feel they do not have enough support to have children
 - c. Many young people have a fertility problem, so they cannot have children
- ②. What the right-wing governments see as the main problem behind the low birth rates?
 - a. Attitudes of the young people
 - b. State control
 - c. Expensive housing
 - d. Climate change
- ③. What are the main findings summarized in the paragraph? Choose one option that is **incorrect**.
 - a. The major reason for not having more children is financial
 - b. More women than men think that there is gender inequality in the household chores
 - c. Young families are not concerned about climate change and the future of their children
- ④. What policies can improve fertility rates according to the experts?
 - a. More policies that would control young women's access to abortion
 - b. Providing financial incentives such as childbirth allowances
 - c. Clear rules that would say to young families how many children they should have
 - d. More freedom to people to make their own decisions about family

B: Based on the article, what policies do you think should be introduced in Japan to improve low birthrates? On the other hand, what policies should not be introduced or maintained? (200-300 words)