

CNN News Highlights — Living with Parents

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Housing costs are a _____. The average rent _____, nearly \$2,000 is 26% higher than at the start of COVID and only rising _____ this high inflation.
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What's your plan as of now?
I'm hoping to move out in August, but again, that depends if I find roommates.
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The goal is to just _____ as quickly as I can.
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When do you think you'll be able to _____ your student debt?
Probably late fall. I'm about three-quarters of the way through it right now.
Are you getting _____?
I am getting slightly antsy. I do feel like 2023 would probably be a good year for me to move out.
Many Americans don't like this _____, 36% say that more young adults living with parents is bad for society, while 6% say it's good. According to Pew Research.
I've been called a _____ and a _____.
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If she's in a better position, then that gives us _____. And when we get older, if we need help, she'll be in a better position to help us, right?

Translation

您知道嗎，截至去年夏天，18 至 29 歲的年輕人中有一半的室友叫“媽媽”和“爸爸”？數百萬年輕人與父母同住，這是自大蕭條以來最多的一次。有些人選擇與父母同住以節省金錢並為他們的未來做準備。但許多人別無選擇。住房成本正在上升。學生貸款債務堆積如山。CNN 的記者加布·科恩 (Gabe Cohen) 一直在與全國各地大學畢業後住在家裡的人交談。

是的，有家的感覺 Grace Lemire 向我們展示了她在馬薩諸塞州的家。

所以這是我童年的臥室。嗯，她父母的家。這是我媽媽的辦公室。

這位 24 歲的年輕人在大學畢業後搬回來並沒有離開，儘管她現在經營自己的內容營銷業務收入接近六位數。

我的意思是，它已經很大了。我已經存夠應急資金。我已經還了很多我的學生貸款。我存了更多為未來的房子的頭期款。這些對我來說很重要，讓我覺得在家生活更有意義。

她在 TikTok 上發布了相關信息。

但是您看到那裡的租金價格了嗎？

她並不孤單。

一個人住幾乎是不可能的。

數百萬年輕人在大疫情期間搬回家，許多人還沒有離開。

這是我曾經幾乎是尷尬或羞愧的事情，但現在不是了。

皮尤研究中心的數據顯示，截至去年夏天，50% 的 18 至 29 歲成年人與父母同住，略低於大流行高峰時的 52%，這是自大蕭條以來的最高水平。

我會說我的大多數朋友實際上都和他們的父母住在一起。

住房成本是一個關鍵原因。全國平均租金近 2,000 美元，比 COVID 開始時高出 26%，而且在這種高通脹的情況下只會更上漲。

如果我想出去一個人生活，我的經濟就無法穩定。

23 歲的克里斯汀·布魯尼爾克 (Christine Brunilk) 從大學畢業後就和父母一起住在明尼蘇達州的郊區。她說，租自己的房子可能要花掉她一半的行銷工作的薪水。

我感覺有點像停滯不前。

你現在的計劃是什麼？

我希望在 8 月搬出，但這又取決於我是否找到室友。

然後是學生貸款債務。

我的目標是盡快還清它。

26 歲的喬恩·威廉姆斯 (Jon Williams) 是密歇根州的一名藥劑師，他說，研究所畢業後帶著 180,000 美元的學生債務搬進了父母的地下室。

這是一種非常簡約的生活方式。我已經將超過 80% 的淨收入存起來了。

您認為什麼時候可以還清學生債務？

應該是深秋吧 我現在大約完成了四分之三。

你變得煩躁了嗎？

我有點煩躁了。我確實覺得 2023 年可能是我搬出去的好年份。

許多美國人不喜歡這種趨勢，36% 的人說更多的年輕人與父母同住對社會不利，而 6% 的人說這是好事。根據皮尤研究中心。我被稱為騙子和貪圖便宜的人。

格蕾絲的媽媽有不同的看法。

如果她的處境更好，那我們就放心了。當我們老了，如果我們需要幫助，她能夠更有能力地幫助我們，對吧？



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Answers

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