

## PART 9 More Modals and Similar Expressions

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## Necessity: *Have (got) to, Must, Can't*

### EXERCISE 1 AFFIRMATIVE AND NEGATIVE STATEMENTS WITH **MUST**

Read the driving rules. Complete the sentences with *must* or *must not* and the verbs from the box.

change	drive	have	leave	pass	stop	turn on
drink	forget	know	obey	sit	talk	wear

1. In almost all countries, you must have a valid license in order to drive.
2. You must take a road test to get a license.
3. You must always carry your license with you at all times when you drive.
4. You must obey all traffic signs. They are there for a reason!
5. When you see a stop sign, you must stop. Don't just slow down.
6. You must not drive faster than the maximum speed limit.
7. You must not drive lanes without signaling.
8. When it's dark, you must turn on your headlights.
9. You must not stop in the middle of the scene of an accident. Wait until the police arrive.
10. In most countries, the driver and passengers must wear seat belts.
11. In some places, you must not talk on a cell phone unless you have a headset.  
Make sure you know the local laws.
12. Small children must sit in a special safety seat.
13. Alcohol and driving don't mix. You must not drink absolutely never and drive.
14. Driving regulations differ from country to country. You must learn the rules before you take to the road in a foreign country!

### EXERCISE 6 EDITING

Read the email. There are eight mistakes in expressing necessity. The first mistake is already corrected. Find and correct seven more.

Hi Jason!

Sorry I haven't written before, but there are so many things I've ~~must~~ <sup>had to</sup> do since we moved to California. For one, I have to taking a driving test. My brother is lucky. He must not take one because he got a license when he was a student here. And you really have to drive if you live here—it's very hard to get around without a car! So, I've been studying the Driver Handbook, and I've found some pretty interesting—and sometimes strange—things:

- You can't smoke when a minor (that's someone under the age of eighteen) is in the car.
- You can use a cell phone, but you has got to use one with a hands-free device.
- You must no "dump or abandon animals on a highway." (I can't imagine anyone doing this, can you?) If you do, you will probably must pay a fine of \$1,000, or go to jail for six months, or both!

Did you must take a road test when you moved to Italy?

I've got go now. Let me hear from you!

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### EXERCISE 5 EDITING

Read Erica's postcard. There are six mistakes in the use of *be supposed to*. The first mistake is already corrected. Find and correct five more.



## Greetings from Bermuda



Here we are in beautiful Bermuda. It's sunny, 80°F, and ~~it will~~ it's supposed to get even warmer later today.

I'm so glad we decided to come here for our honeymoon. We was supposed to go to London, but we decided we really needed a relaxing beach vacation instead. The hotel is very nice. We were supposed to get a standard double room, but when they found out we were on our honeymoon, they upgraded us to a suite with an ocean view. Tonight we're eating at Chez Marcel's. It supposes to be one of the best restaurants on the island.

Gotta go now. I suppose to meet Adam in a few minutes. He's supposed to join me at the beach, but decided to play some tennis instead.

Thanks for offering to pick us up at the airport. We're supposed to arriving at 5:30 p.m., but check with the airport before to see if there are any delays. See you soon!

Love,

Erica

### EXERCISE 3 QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS WITH BE SUPPOSED TO

Erica and Adam are on their honeymoon. Complete the conversations. Use the words from the box and *be supposed to*. Use short answers when necessary.

arrive	call	get	leave	shake
be	do	land	rain	tip

1. ERICA: What time are we supposed to arrive in Bermuda?

ADAM: Well, the plane arrives at 10:30, but it looks like we're going to be a little late.

2. ERICA: What time do we get to the hotel?

ADAM: Check-in time is 12:00.

3. ERICA: Are we supposed to land if we're going to be late?

ADAM: Land. We'd better call as soon as we land.

4. ADAM: How much do we tip the person who carries our bags for us?

ERICA: I think it's \$1.00 a bag.

5. ADAM: Is the hotel restaurant supposed to be good?

ERICA: Good. The travel agent suggested that we go somewhere else for a nice dinner.

6. ERICA: What do we take with our keys when we leave the hotel? Can we take them with us?

ADAM: We leave them at the front desk.

7. ERICA: Will it rain today?

ADAM: No, rain. But look at those clouds. I think we'd better take an umbrella just in case.

8. ERICA: Can you hand me that bottle of sunblock?

ADAM: Sure. Will you shake the bottle before you use it?

ERICA: I don't know. What do the instructions say?

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## Expectations: *Be supposed to*

### EXERCISE 1 AFFIRMATIVE AND NEGATIVE STATEMENTS WITH *BE SUPPOSED TO*

Today, in some countries, when people get married, the groom's family often shares the expenses, and older couples often pay for their own weddings. However, some people are still traditional. Read the chart and complete the sentences with a form of *be supposed to*.

#### TRADITIONAL WEDDING ETIQUETTE: WHO DOES WHAT

Role of the Bride's Family	Role of the Groom's Family
send invitations	pay for the bride's ring
pay for food	give a rehearsal dinner <sup>1</sup>
supply flowers	pay for the honeymoon <sup>2</sup>
pay for the groom's ring	provide beverages
provide music	

<sup>1</sup> *rehearsal dinner*: a dinner that usually takes place the night before the wedding ceremony, attended by the bride, the groom, people who will be part of the ceremony, and often out-of-town guests

<sup>2</sup> *honeymoon*: a vacation by two people who just got married

1. The groom's family isn't supposed to send the invitations.
2. The bride's family isn't supposed to send the invitations.
3. The bride's parents isn't supposed to provide the music.
4. The groom's parents isn't supposed to provide the music.
5. The groom's family isn't supposed to pay for the groom's ring.
6. The groom's family isn't supposed to pay for the bride's ring.
7. The bride's parents isn't supposed to pay for the honeymoon.
8. The groom's family isn't supposed to pay for the honeymoon.
9. The bride's parents isn't supposed to provide the rehearsal dinner.
10. The groom's parents isn't supposed to provide the rehearsal dinner.
11. The groom's family isn't supposed to supply the flowers.
12. The bride's family isn't supposed to pay for the food.
13. The groom's family isn't supposed to provide the beverages.