

Grammar

Modals of obligation, prohibition and necessity: *have to*, *must* and *need to*

1 Complete the sentences with the words.

didn't need to doesn't have to have to
must mustn't need to

- 1 Maria _____ work after 5 p.m., it's not obligatory.
- 2 There's nothing in the fridge! We _____ go to the supermarket!
- 3 You _____ wear protection glasses for chemistry experiments. It's obligatory.
- 4 Oh, you _____ buy me a present, but thank you!
- 5 One of my mum's house rules is that we _____ make our beds every morning.
- 6 You _____ use your phone in the cinema. It's prohibited.

2 Replace the underlined words with a phrase using a modal verb of obligation, prohibition or necessity.

It isn't obligatory to wear a watch to school.
You don't have to wear a watch to school.

1. It's necessary to take this money to buy your bus ticket.

You

2. It wasn't obligatory to wear a uniform at my old school.

We

3. It's necessary to practise to be good at English.
You

4. It was obligatory to call male teachers 'Sir' when I was young.

I

5. It's important not to wear those slippers outside.

You

Quantifiers: *too*, *too much*, *too many*, (not) *enough*

3. Choose the correct option.

- 1 There aren't **enough** eggs / **eggs enough** to make an omelette.
- 2 I'm **too** / **too much** hot. Can I open the window, please?
- 3 The film was dull. There were **too** / **too many** boring scenes.
- 4 That baby isn't **too old** / **old enough** to go to school.
- 5 Don't spend **too much money** / **money too much** when you go shopping!

Adverbs of degree

4 Choose the correct adverb.

- 1 The film was dull and **incredibly** / **a bit** predictable. I could guess the ending after about two minutes. (↑)
- 2 The plot was good, but the acting was **a bit** / **very** disappointing. I liked the main character a lot, but not many of the others. (↓)
- 3 You're **very** / **quite** good at telling jokes. They always make me laugh a lot. (↑)
- 4 The critics are **quite** / **incredibly** negative about the film. They said it was OK, but not really good. (↓)

5 Complete the sentences with *still*, *yet* or *already*.

- 1 I haven't seen Tricia's new baby.
- 2 Have you been to their new house?
- 3 We've tried out all the activities on offer.
- 4 She's only 17 and she's learned to drive!
- 5 He hasn't phoned her to say sorry for forgetting her birthday last week!
- 6 Have they told you the news?

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6 Look at Julia's list of things to do before her holiday. Write sentences to describe what she has already done (✓) or hasn't done yet (✗).

Things to do

- 1 print plane ticket ✓
- 2 pack clothes ✓
- 3 find passport ✗
- 4 buy sunglasses ✓
- 5 change money ✗
- 6 take the hamster to Anna's house ✗

1 She has already printed her plane ticket.

2 _____

3 _____

4 _____

5 _____

6 _____

Verbs with -ing and to

7 Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verb in brackets.

My sister doesn't mind studying (study) late into the evening.

- 1 She wanted _____ (stay) and watch the film with us but she had to go.
- 2 My auntie and uncle recommend _____ (visit) Australia. They had a fantastic time there.
- 3 Thank you for the invitation! I'd love _____ (come) to your party!
- 4 I really like _____ (read) novels on my e-reader when I'm on holiday.
- 4 Natalie seems _____ (be) upset. Do you know why?
- 6 You need to start _____ (watch) less TV! It's not good for your eyes!

Past simple and past continuous

8 Choose the correct option

When / While I got home I was really tired, so I went to bed.

- 1 Natalia phoned her dad **when** / **while** he was trying to fix her laptop.
- 2 She wasn't surprised **when** / **while** she saw her friend, Harriet, at the concert.
- 3 **When** / **While** they got into the kitchen, they saw some broken glass on the floor.
- 4 What did you do **when** / **while** your family was travelling at Christmas time?
- 5 Macek hurt his knee **when** / **while** he was playing football.

9 Put the verbs in brackets in the past simple or past continuous.

I arrived (arrive) while they were watching (watch) a DVD of *The Hobbit*.

- 1 He _____ (lie) in the bath when he suddenly _____ (have) a brilliant idea for a film.
- 2 While my mum and dad _____ (travel) around South America, we _____ (go) to stay with my grandparents.
- 3 We _____ (tidy) up after the meal when my brother _____ (start) playing his guitar.
- 4 When the police officer _____ (knock) on the front door, Sarah _____ (have) lunch.

10 Complete the story with the verbs in the correct form of the past simple or past continuous.

bring celebrate move ~~have~~ take talk walk

My worst childhood memory is from when I was ten years old. My family (1) was having lunch in a very expensive restaurant.

We (2) _____ my father's 40th birthday. While I (3) _____ to my sister, the waiter (4) _____ me my main course – a large bowl of spaghetti bolognese. The waiter (5) _____ away when I noticed something moving in the bowl. A small insect (6) _____ around my spaghetti! The waiter immediately (7) _____ the spaghetti back to the kitchen.

My dad thought it was very funny, but now I never order spaghetti

Reacting to news

11 Choose the correct option.

- A: My exam results are a lot better than last year!
B: That's ***fantastic***/ **dreadful**!
- 1 A: My brother said that he won't have a job after April.
B: **What a shame!** / **How exciting!**
- 2 A: I went to the new burger bar last night.
B: **What was it like?**/ **That sounds terrible!**
A: It was nice.
- 3 A: Grandma's going to come and live with us after the summer holidays.
B: **That was sad.** / **Really?**
- 4 A: When I got back home last night, my front door was open. I was really afraid to go in.
B: **What happened next?** / **How do you feel?**
- 5 A: What do you think of the new ICT suite at school?
B: **That's understandable.** / **I really like it.**
- 6 A: Dad says we can have a swimming pool in the garden next summer!
B: **How exciting!** / **What a shame!**