

VOCABULARY:

What's the matter?

If someone looks ill, we can ask:

What's wrong?

What's the matter?

Are you OK?

My head hurts. OR I have a headache.

My throat hurts OR I have a sore throat.

Hi Mark.
What's the matter? You don't look



I. MATCH THE CORRECT WORD TO THE CORRECT PICTURE:

1. Headache

2. Cough

3. Stomachache

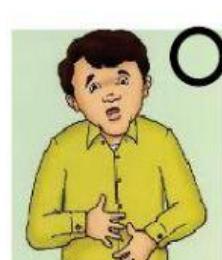
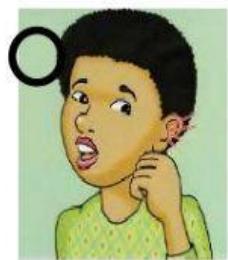
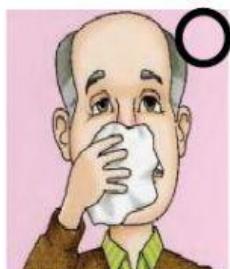
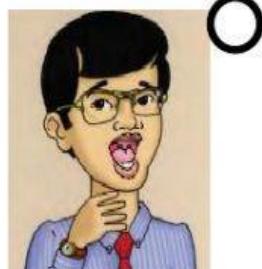
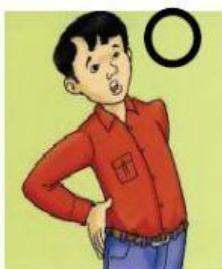
4. Earache

5. Backache

6. Fever

7. Cold

8. Sore throat



II. WRITE SENTENCES LIKE THE EXAMPLE:

1. What's wrong? My head hurts or I have a headache.

2. What's the matter? _____

3. What's wrong? My stomach hurts. Or _____

4. What's the matter? My ear hurts. Or _____

5. What's wrong? My back hurts. Or _____

6. What's the matter? _____

7. What's wrong? _____

8. What's the matter? My throat hurts. Or _____

III. READ THESE CONVERSATIONS AND PRACTICE.

The doctor gives Jessica an exam. Then she gives her some medical advice.



Doctor: Jessica, you have a stomach ache because you don't eat healthy food. You **must** eat more fruit and vegetables. Also you **should** drink water. You **mustn't** drink cola or other soda because it isn't good for you. I will give you some medicine today but you **should** come back again in a week, OK?



Jessica: All right doctor. I will.

GRAMMAR NOTE:

SHOULD: WE USE 'SHOULD' (should + verb 1) FOR ADVICE:

A: I have a toothache. My tooth hurts.

B: You should go to your dentist.

A: I have an exam tomorrow.

B: You should study tonight.

MUST: WE USE 'MUST' FOR ORDERS OR VERY STRONG ADVICE:

A: You must not drink alcohol and drive.

B: You mustn't drink cola. It's bad for your stomach.

MEDICATIONS

1. a painkiller	6. eye drops
2. cold tablets	7. an antihistamine
3. cough medicine	8. an antibiotic
4. a nasal spray/decongestant	9. an antacid
5. an ointment	10. vitamins

IV. NOW USING THE HEALTH PROBLEMS FROM PAGE ONE, WRITE MEDICAL ADVICE FOR EACH OF THE PROBLEMS.

1. You should take some aspirin and you must rest.

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

6. _____