

Vocabulary

Multi-word verbs

1 Choose the correct alternatives.

- 1 Don't forget to clear *back/up* the classroom at the end of the day.
- 2 Students must hand *in/on* their homework at the beginning of each lesson.
- 3 Please remember to take *down/out* the rubbish.
- 4 Everyone must join *on/in* all class activities.
- 5 Put *away/off* all books in your lockers before you leave.
- 6 If he doesn't deal *with/on* the problem, I will.
- 7 Hi Joe: Call me *back/off* when you have time.
- 8 How many times do I need to tell you? Shut *down/up* your computer before you leave the office!



2 Complete sentences A and B with the same phrasal verb.

- 1 A He shuts *down* the machines at 5 p.m. and takes a break.
B My laptop sometimes shuts *down* by itself.
- 2 A Why don't you throw *away* your old clothes? You never wear them.
B Don't throw *away* that food. I'll eat it.
- 3 A If you borrow something from my desk, please put it *back*.
B I took the umbrella from the hall, but I forgot to put it *back*.
- 4 A Everyone was dancing but Tina didn't join *in*.
B Don't be shy. join *in* the activity with everyone else.
- 5 A It's your turn to take *away* the rubbish. Can you do it now?
B The dentist had to take *away* her tooth. It was very painful.
- 6 A It's a good job, but I don't like dealing *with* all the paperwork.
B Dealing *with* difficult situations is part of my job.

Grammar

Modal verbs: obligation and necessity

3 Read the sentences and tick (✓) the sentences where there is an obligation.

- 1 You must look after your belongings. ✓
- 2 You don't have to wear a uniform.
- 3 You have to clear up your room.
- 4 She didn't need to worry.
- 5 You mustn't speak Spanish in class.
- 6 You must be 17 to get a driving licence in the UK.
- 7 She doesn't need a visa to travel here.

4 Complete the text with the words in the box. The words can be used more than once.

allowed must need

Hi Jo,

I really hope you enjoy staying in our flat this weekend. While you're in our beautiful city, you really ¹ visit the Reina Sofia museum, and relax in the Retiro park for an hour or two. You don't ² to walk far to get from one to the other, so that could be a nice day out for you.

Just some notes about the flat. We're not ³ to smoke in there, but if I remember correctly, you don't smoke. If you ⁴ to cook, remember that you ⁵ to turn on the gas at the bottle first.

There's some food in the cupboards, so please use whatever you want, and you don't ⁶ to worry about replacing it. You can take us out for an expensive dinner when we next meet! Oh, speaking of that, we ⁷ try and meet up soon. It's been too long.

Anyway, have a great weekend!

Selina x

5 Rewrite the sentences using the words in brackets so that they have a similar meaning.

- 1 It's not necessary to come home early.
You *don't have to* come home early. (have)
- 2 It's not necessary for students to wear a uniform on Fridays.
Students *don't have to* wear a uniform on Fridays. (need)
- 3 We could go to bed late in the summer!
We *are allowed to* go to bed late in the summer! (allowed)
- 4 It was necessary to help in the house.
We *had to* help in the house. (had)
- 5 You can't smoke in this area.
You *mustn't* smoke in this area. (must)