

Grammar

would rather

- I **would rather** pay in cash than use my credit card.
- I'd **rather not** go shopping with you this Saturday, if that's OK?

had better

- We'd **better** go now. We're going to be late for the film.
- You **had better not** spend all your money on computer games. Your parents will get angry.

should - ought to

- You **should** buy / **ought to** buy this jumper. It's a great bargain and it suits you.
- You **shouldn't** take / **ought not to** take your sister's things without asking.

Rewrite the sentences using the words given.

1. It's a good idea to go shopping during the sales.

should

You _____

2. You shouldn't use your dad's credit card without asking.

had better

You _____

3. It's a better idea to walk than go by bus.

would rather

I _____

4. It's a good idea to ask for a receipt when you buy something.

ought to

You _____

5. Monica doesn't really want to go to the theatre.

would rather

Monica _____

6. You ought to check this out!

should

You _____