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## Should have / Shouldn't have + past participle

Should Have	Shouldn't Have
Use <b>should have + past participle</b> when you mean something (in the past) was a good idea, but you didn't do it. Examples: (1) "I failed the test. I <b>should have studied</b> harder." (2) "Alice was late for class. She <b>should have gotten up earlier</b> ."	Use <b>shouldn't have + past participle</b> when you mean something (in the past) wasn't a good idea, but you did it anyway. Examples: (1) "I fell off my bicycle. I <b>shouldn't have been so careless</b> ." (2) "The dog bit Henry. He <b>shouldn't have kicked the dog</b> ."

Read the following sentences carefully and complete them using "should have" or "shouldn't have" + the **past participle** form of the verbs in parentheses.

				
I _____ <b>(keep)</b> my mouth shut.	I _____ <b>(call)</b> the babysitter.	He _____ <b>(take)</b> a taxi instead of driving.	You _____ <b>(run)</b> so fast.	I _____ <b>(eat)</b> so much.
				
I _____ <b>(ask)</b> for help. I feel so anxious.	You _____ <b>(tell)</b> me you'd be late.	Someone _____ <b>(inform)</b> me it wasn't Christmas.	I _____ <b>(throw)</b> away this awful computer! It's useless.	We _____ <b>(have)</b> the roof fixed.
				
He _____ <b>(jump)</b> first. He broke his arm.	You _____ <b>(pay)</b> attention in class.	I _____ <b>(commit)</b> that crime.	I _____ <b>(go)</b> to bed so late. I feel so sleepy!	I _____ <b>(come)</b> home earlier. It's too late!