

1 Choose the correct modal verb.

- 1 Doctors say that we *ought to* / *shouldn't* eat five pieces of fruit a day.
- 2 You *don't have to* / *mustn't* cough without covering your mouth.
- 3 If you don't feel well, you *don't have to* / *must* go to school.
- 4 If you are really sick, you *don't have to* / *shouldn't* do physical exercise.
- 5 Most of us *should* / *don't have to* drink more water.
- 6 You *must* / *ought to* call an ambulance, if you think someone is having a heart attack.
- 7 Your leg is bleeding badly. We *ought to* / *shouldn't* see a doctor.
- 8 You *don't have to* / *mustn't* bring your own lunch if you don't want to.

2 Write the words in the correct order to make sentences.

- 1 do / has / dinner / to / Jackie / the washing up / after

- 2 leave / his homework / until / dinner / mustn't / after / Louis

- 3 the nurse / ought / his arm / Frank / to / to / show

- 4 The boys / go / to / mustn't / school / sick / they / because / are

- 5 go / You / in the rain / shouldn't / an umbrella / out / without

- 6 doesn't / lay / have / the table / Lucinda / to

- 7 have / the dishwasher / William / put / to / the dishes / in / doesn't


- 8 ought / to / stop / on / her computer / playing / Rachel

3 Complete the text with the modal verbs in the box.

don't have to have to must
mustn't ought to shouldn't

This month we're making smoothies! A smoothie is fruit with yoghurt or milk. Yum! First, you
1 _____ get a blender, which mixes food. This is quicker and easier than using sharp knives, which you 2 _____ be very careful with. You might find one in the kitchen! Put some yoghurt in the blender and then add the fruit. You 3 _____ spend a lot of money – but you 4 _____ try to get fresh fruit because it tastes so good. When you've put the fruit and yoghurt into the blender, you mix it and that's it – easy! It won't take more than two or three minutes! Oh, and you 5 _____ let very young children use the blender because it can be dangerous.

5 Choose the correct sentence in each pair.

-  1 a I must to go to the dentist's after school, so I'll see you tomorrow.
b I have to go to the dentist's after school, so I'll see you tomorrow.
- 2 a You don't have to use the computer for a long time because it hurts your eyes.
b You shouldn't use the computer for a long time because it hurts your eyes.
- 3 a You don't have to go to hospital with a bad cough.
b You don't must go to hospital with a bad cough.

