Grammar 2 modals and semi-modals (2); expanding your vocabulary; open cloze

1 What do these sentences show? Match them with the headings. Write A, B or C.

A lack of obligation or necessity
B necessity, obligation and prohibition
C permission and requests

1 You don't have to translate every word. Just try to understand the general meaning. _____
2 You mustn't be late. _____
3 We don't need to buy any food because we've got plenty in the fridge. _____
4 You can go home early from work if you want. _____
5 Could you send me a copy of my booking, please? _____
6 I must call my aunt this weekend. _____
7 We have to wear uniform at our school. _____
8 You can help yourself to anything you like to eat. _____
9 Can I have a quick look at your newspaper? _____
10 We don't need to get together to discuss this. _____

2 Complete the text with these words.

can have mustn't needn't ought to

The Empire run-up

Some people have very unusual hobbies. In New York, USA, you can sometimes see people running up the stairs inside the Empire State Building! It's an annual race which you [1] _____ only take part in if you are invited. You [2] _____ be a professional athlete because the race is only open to people who enjoy running as a hobby.

The competitors [3] _____ to meet at the entrance and then run up the stairs, all the way to the top of this famous building. They [4] _____ buy special shoes for the event as they can use their regular trainers. However, competitors [5] _____ train as much as possible before the event because it's really challenging.

3 Read the Exam Reminder. Then complete the Exam Task.

Exam REMINDER

Expanding your vocabulary

- Remember that you aren't given options to choose from in this task.
- Read the text once to understand what it's about.
- Look again at the gaps in the text. Think of a word that fits well in the gap.
- The gaps are often part of a phrasal verb, e.g. *get along with* or a prepositional phrase such as *according to* or *in time*. Try to learn a couple of these new phrases each week.
- Fill in all the gaps and then go back and check all your answers to make sure they fit.

Exam TASK

Open cloze

For each question, write the correct answer. Write **one** word for each gap.

I want to tell you all about a new sport I've taken [1] _____ recently. It's called freerunning. Freerunning means running, jumping and climbing from one space to another. You [2] _____ do it anywhere you like, but it's great in the city centre. You don't [3] _____ any special equipment, but you [4] _____ to be quite fit.

Anybody can join [5] _____ and it's a great way to hang [6] _____ with your friends and get some exercise at the same time.

Grammar reference 8.1, p168 in Student's Book

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