Grammar

Digital

should / shouldn't

affirmative
You **should tell** someone about the problem.
negative
You **shouldn't forward** nasty messages.
questions
Should you **reply**?
short answers
Yes, you **should**. / No, you **shouldn't**.

LOOK!

We use *should / shouldn't* to give advice or make recommendations.

1 Study the table. Which form of the main verb always follows *should*?

2 Complete the sentences with *should* or *shouldn't*.

1 You ... spend so long on the computer.
2 Rosie ... shout at her little sister.
3 I ... do Zumba. It sounds fun.
4 We ... be friendly to the new girl at school

LIVEWORKSHEETS

Different between should and must



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3 Write the questions using *should* to ask for advice.

I / get / a new phone? *Should I get a new phone?*

1 we / order / a pizza?
2 they / tell someone / about the problem?
3 Vicky / go to the cinema / with Matt?
4 you / paint / your bedroom black?

1.
2.
3.
4.

must / mustn't

affirmative
They **must stop** their behaviour.
negative
You **mustn't deal** with the problem alone.
questions
Must I **tell** my friends?
short answers
Yes, you **must**. / No, you **mustn't**.

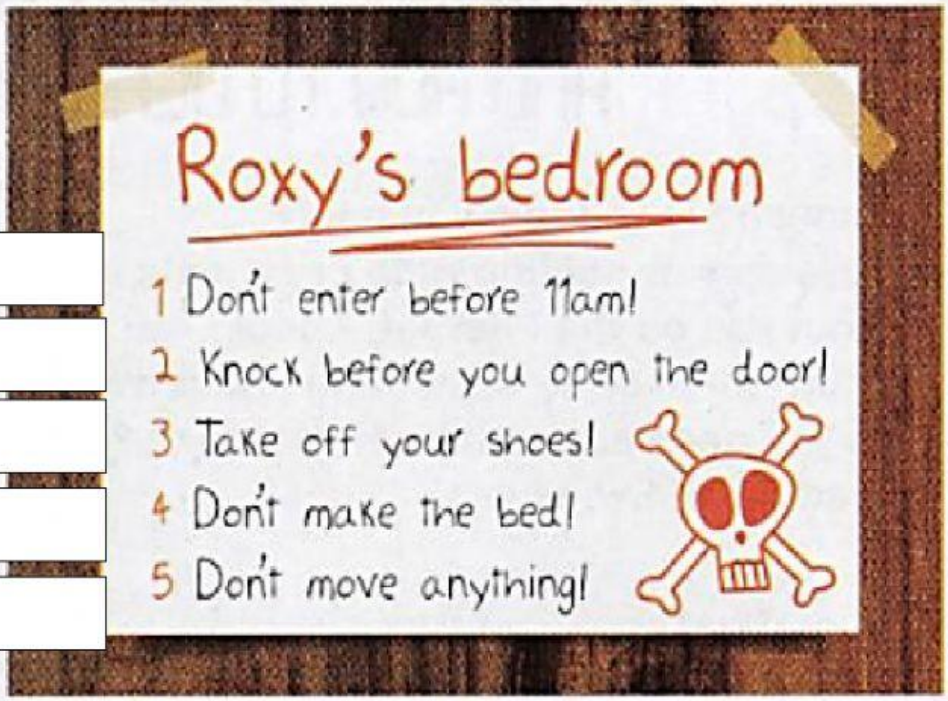
LOOK!

We use *must / mustn't* to express obligation or prohibition.

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4 Study the table. Look at the sign and write sentences with *must* or *mustn't*.

1 You mustn't enter before 11am!



5 Study the sentences. Which sentence is an obligation? Which one is a piece of advice?

1 He should eat less fast food.
2 They must wear a school uniform

LIVEWORKSHEETS

6 **Write sentences which mean the same as the five rules about social networking sites. Use *should*, *shouldn't*, *must* or *mustn't*.**

1 You mustn't post photos of people without their permission.

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

SOCIAL NETWORKING SITES: 5 RULES

1 It's wrong to post photos of people without their permission.
2 It isn't a good idea to give your personal information to people you don't know.
3 It's better to write polite comments on other people's profiles.
4 It isn't a good idea to believe everything people write about themselves.
5 It's very important to remember that online friends aren't the same as real friends!

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