1. 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.

2. Complete the email with modal verbs.

Hi Jessica,I got your email last night about getting a visa to come and visit me in Australia. Firstly, you are right – you _____ get a visa and you _____ apply for that soon. You _____ leave it until a few days before you go! You _____ to worry about the cost because I'm going to pay for you. You _____ put my address on the form as well because they need that information. You _____ do anything else before you leave London, though, once you've got your visa.

See you very soon,

Sam

3. Complete the sentence with the correct form of let or make.

1 The guard _____us show him our tickets before we could get on the train.

2 Airlines only _____ children travel alone if their parents complete a form.

3 My parents _____ me go on holiday with my friends when I was 16.

4 They _____ you listen to the safety announcement when you're on board a plane.

5 Jodie's mum and dad are _____ her start driving lessons soon.

6 The bus driver _____ us all sit down and fasten our seat belts.

4. 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.

LIVEWORKSHEETS