

Grammar Checkpoint

A Choose the correct answers.

- 1 Owen has the creative trait in him. He _____ make exotic pieces of art just by using straws.
A can B must C should D have to
- 2 In the beginning, the boys _____ swim very fast but of late they can't anymore.
A may B could C needn't D ought to
- 3 Daniel is obese. He _____ make an appointment to see a dietitian soon.
A have to B need to C ought to D don't have to
- 4 I'm very sure we are lost in this thick jungle. We _____ spend too much time looking for a way out as we are going in circles.
A may B can't C shouldn't D ought to
- 5 The little children were _____ go hiking at the weekend.
A can B must be C able to D did not
- 6 You _____ finish that piece of painting by this evening or you won't get the payment.
A need B could C ought D have to
- 7 Every one of us _____ have a hobby to keep us going.
A may B could C might D should
- 8 The children _____ pay for the excursion as it is a sponsored trip.
A needn't B mustn't C shouldn't D don't have to
- 9 We _____ go on a picnic this Saturday if the weather is fine.
A could B might C have to D ought to
- 10 You _____ bring along your compass when you go camping. At least you know your direction if you get lost.
A may B must C have to D ought not to

B Identify the error in the sentences. Then, rewrite the correct sentence.

1 We ought not to do gardening today if you need to finish your homework.

Error : _____

Correction : _____

2 I know you love reading but you needn't stay up too late at night. It's not good for your health.

Error : _____

Correction : _____

3 The players could be at the sports stadium by 6 o'clock in the morning for training.

Error : _____

Correction : _____

4 When he was younger, he can sing very well.

Error : _____

Correction : _____

5 You don't have to go kite-flying today as the weather is not too good.

Error : _____

Correction : _____

6 Kiki must design the birthday card as she draws during her free time.

Error : _____

Correction : _____

7 You mustn't join us in this trekking expedition if you don't like outdoor life.

Error : _____

Correction : _____

8 Johnson likes sailing but he should have some form of formal training before he can embark on this adventure.

Error : _____

Correction : _____
