



LANGUAGE IN CONTEXT 1

Should/Shouldn't for Advice

1 Circle the correct options to give good advice.

- Teenagers should / ~~shouldn't~~ get at least eight hours of sleep each night.
- You ~~should~~ / ~~shouldn't~~ eat chocolate cake for breakfast every day.
- You ~~should~~ / ~~shouldn't~~ start studying for an exam the day before.
- We ~~should~~ / ~~shouldn't~~ be kind to other people.
- You ~~should~~ / ~~shouldn't~~ brush your teeth before you go to bed.
- You ~~should~~ / ~~shouldn't~~ take your phone to bed with you.

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

- What should I buy for my dad's birthday?
- She play volleyball with her friends. It's fun!
- What we do to stay fit? The gym's expensive.
- He work all weekend. He relax more.
- You get her some flowers, or chocolates. She'd love that.
- You walk home in the rain. You'll get a cold.

3 Use the prompts to make questions (Q) and answers (A) with *should* or *shouldn't*.

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| 1 Q she / study art / ? | A ✓ |
| Should she study art? | Yes, she should. |
| 2 Q I / go to school / today / ? | A ✗ |
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| 3 Q we / help / him / ? | A ✓ |
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| 4 Q I / talk to / my mom / ? | A ✓ |
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| 5 Q they / leave / now / ? | A ✗ |
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| 6 Q he / explain / to the teacher / ? | A ✓ |
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4 Luiza needs advice about an important English exam. Make sentences with *should* and *shouldn't* using the prompts in the box.

- start studying one day before the exam
- make a study schedule
- do lots of exam practice
- go to bed late the night before
- relax sometimes
- drink lots of coffee on exam day

- ~~You shouldn't start studying one day before the exam.~~
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