

UNIT 5, LESSON 1

COULD AND SHOULD FOR SUGGESTIONS

A ▶ 05-02 Listen to the conversations. Circle the correct answers.

1. You *should* / *shouldn't* leave your laptop there.
2. You *could* / *shouldn't* share your password with anyone.
3. You *could* / *couldn't* ask the receptionist for the correct name.
4. You *should* / *shouldn't* call her.
5. I *could* / *couldn't* show you how.
6. You *should* / *shouldn't* ask him.
7. She *could* / *shouldn't* use a new case.
8. I *could* / *shouldn't* give you a ride.

B Use *could*, *should*, or *shouldn't* and the verb in parentheses to complete the sentences. More than one answer may be possible.

1. A: My phone is really slow.
B: Let me see. You have so many apps! You *shouldn't download* any more.
(download)
2. A: My wireless network isn't working. I can't connect.
B: You _____ Chris for help. He works in tech support.
(call)
3. A: Kevin's presentation is at 9:00.
B: We really _____ to his presentation. He's a great speaker!
(go)
4. A: My dad emailed me a link to a website. I think I can win a prize if I click on it.
B: You _____ on it! Call your dad. Someone might be using his email.
(click)
5. A: _____ I _____ my laptop to the meeting?
(bring)
B: No, it really isn't necessary. You won't need to take notes or anything.
6. A: Where _____ I _____ my coat?
(leave)
B: You should probably take it with you. Don't leave it in the meeting room.

C Form statements or questions with the words in parentheses and *should*, *shouldn't*, or *could*.

1. A: I left my phone in the taxi. What should I do?
B: You should call the taxi company.
(you, call the taxi company)
2. A: This app is from a company I've never heard of, and it doesn't have many reviews.
B: _____. It might not be safe.
(you, download it)
3. A: I don't have time to finish my presentation.
B: I have some time. _____.
(I, help you)
4. A: My computer is really slow. I can't open any files.
B: _____.
(you, definitely restart it)
5. A: _____?
(we, update our website)
B: Yes, we should. Some of the links don't work.
6. A: _____?
(Where, I, connect my computer)
B: There's a spot in the conference room near the projector. Let me show you.