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Girls and boys

have to/don't have to • should/must • Things to wear • At the doctor's



STARTER

Which of these things do you think boys do better than girls, and vice versa?

I think boys are better at ... than girls.

- cooking
- making conversation
- maths
- learning foreign languages
- sports
- playing computer games
- driving
- talking about feelings

YOU HAVE TO CLING ON!

have to/don't have to

- 1 Look at the photo. Can you find a tiny figure? Is it a man or a woman? What's happening?
- 2 **T 8.1** The tiny figure is **Tilly Parkins** from Sydney, Australia. She's one of the world's greatest climbers. Listen to the interview and answer the questions.
 - Where does Tilly train in the week?
 - Who is Adam Pretty?
 - What's her job?
 - Why does Tilly go rock climbing?
 - Was it difficult to climb Moon Hill Crag?

Moon Hill Crag, Yangshuo Mountains, China



- 3 Work with a partner. Complete the lines from the interview with words in the box.

have to don't have to do you have to had to didn't have to can't

- 1 'I'm sure you have to be very fit and strong to go climbing.'
- 2 'How often _____ train?'
- 3 'I _____ train every day, just two or three times a week, that's enough.'
- 4 'Sometimes I _____ work at the hospital at the weekend.'
- 5 'I _____ climb very early in the morning.'
- 6 'You _____ climb later in the day, it's too hot.'
- 7 'He _____ climb with me. He took the photo from a nearby tourist spot.'



T 8.1 Listen again and check.

- 4 Complete the questions and answers about Tilly.

- 1 'How often does she have to _____?'
'Two or three times a week.'
- 2 _____ she _____ work at weekends?'
'Yes, she does sometimes.'
- 3 'Why _____ she _____ climb Moon Hill Crag just after dawn?'
'Because later it gets too hot and you _____ climb in the heat.'
- 4 _____ Adam have to _____ the rock?'
'No, he _____. He took the photo from a tourist spot.'

T 8.2 Listen and check. Practise the questions and answers with your partner.

GRAMMAR SPOT

- 1 *have to* + infinitive expresses obligation.
She **has to train** hard.
Do you have to work at weekends?
- 2 Write the question, negative, and past tense of *have to*.
_____ you _____ work late in your job?
No, I _____ work late usually.
But I _____ work late yesterday.
- 3 Write *have to*, *don't have to*, *can*, or *can't*.
possible can not possible _____
necessary _____ not necessary _____

►► Grammar Reference 8.1–8.2 p142

WHAT'S YOUR ADVICE?

should/must

- 1 Do you ever read problem pages in newspapers? What sort of things do people ask about?
- 2 Work with a partner. Read the problems in *Dear Annie*. Explain the headings. What advice would you give?
- 3 Read *Advice from Annie*. Match her advice with a problem. Write in the names.

GRAMMAR SPOT

- 1 Look at these sentences. Which sentence expresses stronger advice?

He **must** get professional help.

You **should** show him this letter.

- 2 *Should* and *must* are modal verbs. Read the examples.

What **should** I do?

You **shouldn't** worry about this.

He **must** get help.

- How do we make the question and negative?
- Do we add -s with *he/she/it*?

►► Grammar Reference 8.3–8.4 p143

- 4 Complete the sentences using the words in the box. Who is the advice to?

shouldn't should must don't think you should

- 1 You _____ explain how you feel to your coach and your mother. However, in the end, the decision is yours and yours alone. You _____ decide your own future.

- 2 Tell him firmly that he _____ change his ways or he'll lose his wife and family. Talk to all your friends and family about the problem – you _____ suffer alone.

- 3 You _____ write your speech down but I _____ read it aloud to the group. Just make notes to help you remember it. For more help, you _____ visit speechtips.com.

- 4 You _____ talk to your parents about how you feel. And you _____ feel jealous of your brother! He's older than you, that's all!

T 8.4 Listen and check.

Dear Annie!

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1 No time for fun!

I'm 14 and I do gymnastics. I have to train 30 hours a week because my mum and my coach want me to try for the next Olympics. I like gymnastics but I have no time for anything else in my life. My school friends tell me that I am missing all the fun. What should I do? **Tracy**

2 I've lost my husband to a game

My husband started playing online computer games last year. Since then he has lost all interest in everything else, even me and our baby. He starts playing as soon as he gets up, and begins again when he gets back from work. He gets angry if I talk to him about it. What should I do? **Paula**

3 I get so nervous

I'm in the army, and in my job I have to give talks to large groups of people. The last time was a disaster because I was so nervous. My hands shook and I spoke too fast. How can I control my nerves? What should I do? **Mark**

4 I hate him!

I'm 11 and my brother is 15. I think my mum and dad love him more than me. They've just bought him the best computer – they say he has to have it for his exams. I don't even have my own mobile phone, AND I have to wear all his old clothes! **Billy**

Advice from Annie!

a Dear _____

Good preparation is the answer. You must prepare well and practise a lot. The first 30 seconds are the most important. You should begin with a personal story. It will relax you and the audience.

b Dear _____

More and more people worldwide have become addicted to this. He must get professional help, but this is difficult because he won't accept that he has a problem. I think you should show him this letter, and visit the website olganon.org.

c Dear _____

These feelings are very common between brothers and sisters. I'm sure your parents love you and your brother just the same, so you shouldn't worry about this. When you're older, you'll get your own phone – and your own clothes!

d Dear _____

The fact is, that to get to the top in sport you have to train very hard indeed. You should talk to someone else about your doubts. I don't think you should listen to just your friends.