

# GRAMMAR

## Part 2

### EXPRESSING OBLIGATION and PROHIBITION

#### MUST / HAVE TO

We use **MUST** and **HAVE TO** to say that something is necessary or very important (sometimes involving a rule or a law).

I / You / He / She / It / We / You / They **must + infinitive**

#### Examples:

- *You must wear a face covering in public places.*
- *I / We / You / They + **have to + infinitive***
- *He / She / It **has to + infinitive***
- *You have to remove your mask if the police ask you to do so.*

**MUSTN'T** (=MUST NOT) is used to tell somebody not to do something, it expresses prohibition.

#### Example:

- *Passengers mustn't remove their masks during the flight.*

**DON'T / DOESN'T HAVE TO** is used when it is not necessary to do something.

#### Example:

- *You don't have to self-isolate if you tested negative.*
- *She doesn't have to self-isolate if she tests negative.*

### Practice

1. Complete the sentences with **MUST** or **MUSTN'T** and one of the verbs below. There are two extra verbs which you do not need.

*tell - be - drive - see - run - stay - shake - sleep*

You ..... careful with your money.

You ..... near the swimming pool.

You ..... the police if you see a robbery.

You ..... fast in the village.

You ..... home if you've got Covid-19 symptoms.

You ..... hands with other people.

## 2. Look at the rules. Rewrite the sentences with **MUST** or **MUSTN'T**.

### Example:

*Don't write on the books.*

*You mustn't write on the books.*

1. Don't eat in the library.
2. Turn off your mobile phones.
3. Don't be noisy.
4. Be careful with these gadgets.
5. Don't take off your face covering.
6. Use hand sanitizer.

## 3. Complete the sentences according to the information given in the chart

(Taken from Gramática Oxford para estudiantes de inglés. ESO. OUP.)

	shop assistants	bank clerks	doctors	teachers
deal with the public	yes	yes	yes	no
be polite to people	yes	yes	no	yes
work with money	yes	yes	no	no
wear uniforms	yes	no	yes	no

- Shop assistants *have to deal* with the public.
- Teachers ..... the public.
- Shop assistants ..... to people.
- Bank clerks ..... to people.
- Bank clerks ..... with money.
- Doctors ..... with money.
- Teachers ..... uniforms.
- Shop assistants ..... uniforms.