

### Unit 33

#### 1 In this exercise you write a sentence with **needn't**.

Example: Shall I do the shopping now? (no / this afternoon)

No, you needn't do it now. You can do it this afternoon.

- 1 Shall I clean the windows today? (no/tomorrow)  
No, you ..... tomorrow.
- 2 Shall I type these letters now? (no/after)
- 3 Shall I go to the bank this morning? (no/this afternoon)

#### 2 In this exercise you complete the sentences with **must**, **mustn't** or **needn't**.

Examples: We haven't got much time. We **must** hurry.

We've got plenty of time. We **needn't** hurry.

- 1 'Do you want me to wait for you?' 'No, it's okay. You ..... wait.'
- 2 Tom gave me a letter to post. I ..... forget to post it.
- 3 You ..... come if you don't want to but I hope you will.
- 4 'What sort of house do you want to buy? Something big?'  
'We, it ..... be big - that's not important.  
But it ..... have a nice garden - that's essential.'
- 5 We have enough food at home so we ..... go shopping today.
- 6 This book is very valuable. You ..... look after it very carefully and you ..... lose it.

#### 3 This time you have to make a sentence with **needn't have**.

Example: I don't know why we hurried. .... We needn't have hurried.

- 1 I don't know why they left so early.  
They .....
- 2 I don't know why she shouted at me like that.  
She .....
- 3 I don't know why he read the whole book.  
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- 4 I don't know why she cancelled her holiday.  
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#### 4 Now read these situations and make sentences with **needn't have**.

Example: Ann bought some eggs. When she got home, she found that she already had plenty of eggs. .... She needn't have bought any eggs.

- 1 Tom went out and took an umbrella with him because he thought it was going to rain. But it didn't rain.  
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- 2 Jack got very angry with Jill and threw a book at her. Later Jill said: 'I know you were very angry but .....'  
money3 Brain had no money, so he sold his car. A few days later he won a lot of competition. ....