

5 GRAMMAR STANDARD

1 Write O (obligation), A (advice), or P (prohibition) for each sentence.

- 0 You shouldn't watch too much TV. A
- 1 I have to look after my little sister tonight. _____
- 2 He's not allowed to listen to loud music in his room. _____
- 3 You're supposed to whisper in the library. _____
- 4 You had better get to class on time. _____
- 5 They're not allowed to use their phones at school. _____

2 Complete the sentences with a phrase from the list.

don't let | was supposed to | had better
aren't allowed to | didn't have to | shouldn't

- 0 "You can't watch TV in the morning before school."
My parents don't let me watch TV in the morning before school.
- 1 "You can't eat in this movie theater."
We _____ to eat in this movie theater.
- 2 "You should call your mother – she's worried."
I _____ call her as soon as possible.
- 3 "It's not good to read a lot on a tablet."
You _____ read too much on a tablet.
- 4 "It wasn't necessary to be here so early."
We _____ be here so early.
- 5 "I expected you home an hour ago!"
I _____ be home an hour ago.

3 Choose the correct option.

- 0 You needn't have / *didn't need to* come so early.
The concert won't start for another hour.
- 1 I had folded all the laundry so Mom *needn't have done* / *didn't need to* do it.
- 2 You *needn't have brought* / *didn't need to bring* your umbrella. It's not going to rain.
- 3 My parents *needn't have bought* / *didn't need to buy* me a computer because I had already bought one.
- 4 I saw the car was clean so I *needn't have washed* / *didn't need to wash* it.
- 5 You *needn't have called* / *don't need to call* for tickets. I have some.

4 Put the words in order to make sentences.

- 0 difficult, / exam / pass / managed / to / was / the / but / I / .
 The exam was difficult, but I managed to pass.
- 1 weren't / on / there / time / to / we / able / get / .

- 2 managed / movie / half / he / the / see / to / only / .

- 3 finish / despite / rain, / she / able / was / race / the / to / the / .

- 4 see / well / could / your / from / you / seats / ?

- 5 find / fog / house / couldn't / of / they / the / because / the / .

5 Correct the mistakes.

- 0 He don't allowed to play violent video games.
 He isn't allowed to play violent video games.
- 1 You have better start studying!

- 2 She was able getting to school on time.

- 3 You don't have to speak loudly in the library.

- 4 They managed finishing the project early.

- 5 My dad doesn't let to me watch horror movies.

6 Complete the text with one word on each line.

My parents don't ⁰ let me go out with friends when I have school, but I ¹ _____ to convince them that it was important. I met John at the mall, and we got in the line to meet our favorite singer. We ² _____ not see anything because there were too many people, but we knew we just had to wait. After two hours, we were close enough to be ³ _____ to take photos. We finally ⁴ _____ in getting autographs and a photo together. My parents had ⁵ _____ not find out that I was at the mall instead of studying!

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Answer Key

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- 1 O
- 2 P
- 3 O
- 4 A
- 5 P

2

- 1 aren't allowed to
- 2 had better
- 3 shouldn't
- 4 didn't have to
- 5 was supposed to

3

- 1 didn't need to do
- 2 needn't have brought
- 3 needn't have bought
- 4 didn't need to wash
- 5 don't need to call

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- 1 We weren't able to get there on time.
- 2 He only managed to see half the movie.
- 3 Despite the rain, she was able to finish the race.
- 4 Could you see well from your seats?
- 5 They couldn't find the house because of the fog.

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- 1 You had better start studying!
- 2 She was able to get to school on time.
- 3 You mustn't speak loudly in the library.
- 4 They managed to finish the project early.
- 5 My dad doesn't let ~~to~~ me watch horror movies.

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- 1 managed
- 2 could
- 3 able
- 4 succeeded
- 5 better