

# DAILY ENGLISH

C10

You must work hard.

A young boy and girl are sitting at a desk with two laptops. The boy, on the left, is wearing a dark blue shirt and has his arms raised in the air with a wide, excited expression. The girl, on the right, is wearing a green and white striped shirt and also has her arms raised, pointing towards the laptops with a joyful expression. The background shows an office-like setting with a green wall and a red exit sign.

## *Lead-in*

1. Do you do your best all the time?
2. How do you encourage yourself to work hard?

# Target Language

▼ In this lesson, we will learn:

## Grammar Focus

The Bare Infinitive - with Modal Auxiliary Verb

## Daily Expression

You must work hard.

# Picture Description

▼ Tell what you see in the pictures below.



A



B

# Pronunciation and Matching

▼ Read the example sentences.

1. I can't stay long.  
I need to go now.

2. He's sleeping.  
We must keep quiet.

▼ Match the sentences with the corresponding pictures.

P1



P2



# Conversation

▼ Listen to the conversation.

Jason: I rushed to see him when I heard the news.

Is he okay?

Kevin: **We must keep quiet** while he's sleeping.

The doctors are still running some tests.

Jason: Oh dear! When will I know the result? **I can't stay long.**

Kevin: You can go now and I'll let you know if there's any progress.

## Questions:

- Where did the conversation happen?
- When did Jason rush to the place?
- What was the patient doing when Jason arrived?
- What would Kevin do since Jason couldn't stay long?

## Grammar Focus

▼ Read the grammar structure.

### The Bare Infinitive - with Modal Auxiliary Verb

You **must work** hard.

He **can't remember** where he put the tickets.

## Grammar Check

▼ Circle the *modal auxiliary verbs* in the following sentences.

- 1 I must wake up early tomorrow morning.
- 2 She can play football well.
- 3 Peter has great paintings. He must be a painter.
- 4 The sky is grey. It might rain later.
- 5 Lara can speak French and Chinese.
- 6 We would visit them every December.
- 7 I can't reach the ceiling.
- 8 Everyone must open their books.
- 9 Can I give you a hand?
- 10 You may visit me on the weekends.

# Grammar Check

▼ Underline the correct **modal auxiliary verb** to complete each sentence.

1

He always tops the class. He (may, might, must) be so smart.

2

Mary has been learning how to play the piano. She (should, will, can) now play it well.

3

I think you (must, should, may) buy the green one.

4

I (will, can, may) be celebrating my birthday next week.

5

(Ought, Could, Should) you tell me the way to the station, please?

6

I am not sure which subject to study yet. I (will, might, should) study Math.

7

Marie plans to go to England. She (must, can't, might) bring her passport.

## Daily Scene

Create some sentences using the given pictures and modal auxiliary verbs.

