

LESSON 25

Modal Constructions

1. The modal verb "**Must**" can be replaced by the verb "**Ought to**" in case the expression makes sense of advice:

You ought to visit your parents often.

2. The modal verb "**Must**" can be replaced by the verb "**Should**" in case the expression makes sense of doubt:

You should smoke less.

3. The modal verb "**Must**" can be replaced by the verb "**Need**" in interrogative and negative sentences:

Negative	You need not leave us so early
Interrogative	Need you go so early?
Short Answers	Yes, I must
	No, I needn't