

Traducción Texto

- #1 Tengo un grupo de 5 muy buenos amigos. Pero mi amiga Diana es realmente molesta. Ella siempre critica a uno de nosotros; lo que decimos, lo que vestimos, lo que almorzamos todo. A veces le hablo de eso y ella se disculpa, pero luego comienzan a hacerlo de nuevo, yo aleja, 15
- #2 Normalmente salgo con mis amigos Max y Larry en el recreo, a todos nos encanta el baloncesto. Pero ahora fuman. Tienen un grupo de nuevos amigos que van a buscar cigarrillos en el recreo y se los fuman detrás del gimnasio. Casi nunca jugamos baloncesto ahora, y siento que estoy hablando con mis amigos. ¿Quizás debería empezar a fumar también? Jack, 14
- #3 Dos personas de mi clase siempre se burlan de mí por que siempre uso un casco de ciclista cuando voy a la escuela, las carreteras están bastante transitadas pero creo que es más seguro usar siempre un casco. Quiero estar seguro, pero dicen que se ve estúpido. Normalmente no me importa lo que digan pero a veces

duelo cuando con mala. Rachel, 19

MODAL VERBS



1 In pairs, choose the correct word for each sentence and then write them down in your notebook. Discuss your options with other classmates.

have to - can - shouldn't - could - must

- a You have to go there alone. It's really dangerous and something could happen to you.
- b I shouldn't go to bed now. If I don't, I will not be able to get eight hours of sleep!
- c If you want to stop being so lazy, there are many things you should do. Why don't you look on the internet for some fun and healthy habits?
- d If you see trash on the floor, you could pick it up and put it in the garbage.
- e Students in Chile Must wear a uniform to go to school.
- f When you are finished with your homework and other responsibilities, you should go running to get some exercise every day.

2 Listen to your teacher and write the word you hear.

- a You should talk to your parents about it.
- b You could get upset.
- c You must find other things to do.
- d What can I do?
- e You have to stay at home all day.
- f You should come to drama club with me.

3 Read the situations quickly and match them with the pictures. What are the teens doing?

a



b



c



Two people from my class always make fun of me because I always wear a cycle helmet when I'm cycling to school. The roads are quite busy so I think it's safer to always wear a helmet. I want to be safe, but they say it looks stupid. Normally I don't care what they say, but sometimes it hurts when they are mean.

b

Rachel, 14

I have a group of five really good friends. But my friend Diana is really annoying. She always criticises one of us – what we wear, what we say, what we're having for lunch – everything. Sometimes I talk to her about it, and she always apologises, but then she starts doing it again.

c

Aleja, 15

I usually hang around with my friends Max and Larry at break – we all love basketball. But now they smoke. They have a group of new friends who go to get cigarettes at break and smoke them behind the gym. We hardly ever play basketball now, and I feel like I'm losing my friends. Maybe I should start smoking too?

a

Jack, 14

4 Read the advice. Match the sentences with Rachel, Aleja and Jack.

- a You should find some new friends who enjoy your hobby. Jack
- b You shouldn't be friends with someone who is always criticising you. Aleja
- c You could ask your friends and other classmates to wear one too. Rachel
- d You should ask her why she always criticises her friends. Aleja
- e You shouldn't worry what other people say about you. Rachel
- f You shouldn't do things that are bad for your health. Jack

5 Look again at the modal verbs in exercise 4. Which verb do we use to:

- a give a suggestion? should
- b give advice and tell someone to do something? could
- c give advice and tell someone NOT to do something? should

6 Read the situations on previous page again and complete the table.

	Rachel	Aleja	Jack
1. What is the problem?	Rachel is afraid for wearing a cycling helmet for her safety	her friend always criticises her for how they say and what they eat for lunch	Jack had a group of friends who never smoke and don't do good things
2. What is your idea to solve the problem?	My solution would be that Rachel wasn't listed to her class mates	My solution would be to tell her friend what you think of her	My solution is for Jack to make new friends