

Session 3

Welcome to Session 3. We're going to look at using **must** and **have to** in the past and future. We'll also bring you a top tip for informal speaking.

Activity 4

Top tip: Informal English

You've got to read this

In informal British English, we sometimes use **have got to** instead of **have to**.

We have to change the engine oil.

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And in even more informal English we sometimes don't even say the **have** – so it becomes just **got to**. You might see this in text messages and on social media, for example:

Got to change the oil.

And there's one more way to say this: **gotta**. It's the most informal of all these forms.

Gotta change the engine oil.

Play the audio to hear Finn saying these example sentences out loud. Practise by reading them aloud with him.



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Back to Aunt Jude. She's just received some text messages. What do they say?

