Should and Should not (2)

Practise using the modal verb "should"!

We use "should" to give advice, recommendations or talk about expectations and obligations we have.

For example: You should close your window, it is going to rain. ->recommendation
Paul should practise the new words for tomorrow's vocabulary test. -> advice
I should get home at 7pm. -> expectation

Should is followed by the infinitive like all modal verbs.
To negate a sentence use "should not" or shorten this to "shouldn't.
For example: He shouldn't come late tomorrow, we start on time!

I _____ go home now, it is late.
- ○ should
- ○ shouldn't
- ○ should not

I think you _____ buy that, it is too expensive!
- ○ should
- ○ shouldn't

_____ you do your homework now? Why are you playing outside?
- ○ Should
- ○ Shouldn't

They _____ really buy a new car, their car is very old.
- ○ should
- ○ should not

I think you _____ see a doctor, you look very ill.
- ○ shouldn't
- ○ should not
- ○ should

_____ it be icy tomorrow, I won't be able to come.
- ○ Shouldn't
- ○ Should not
- ○ Should

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You _____ ring your parents, they might worry otherwise.
- ○ should
- ○ should not

You _____ have eaten all the chocolates! I wanted some, too!
- ○ shouldn't
- ○ should

You _____ watch this film, it's amazing!
- ○ should
- ○ shouldn't

She _____ study so much! She looks stressed and pale.
- ○ shouldn't
- ○ should

You _____ always be honest and respectful to others.
- ○ should
- ○ should not

He _____ have to look after his little sister every day. It is too much for him.
- ○ should not
- ○ should

We _____ ask Tom about it. He knows a lot about the topic.
- ○ shouldn't
- ○ should

Bella _____ be home later than 9pm. She caught the earlier bus.
- ○ shouldn't
- ○ should

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